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ILLUSTRATIONS FOR MEMORIAL COMPLETION

HELLO EVERYBODY! "OTAKU-TYPE DELUSION GIRL," WHICH IS FILLED WITH ESSENTIAL OTAKU COMPONENTS FOR OUR LIVES, WILL BE FINALLY COMPLETED. HOW DISAPPOINTING! IT'S SAD TO SAY GOOD BYE TO THIS WORK WHICH HAS GIVEN DREAMS AND HOPES TO MANY FUJOSHI. WE'LL NEVER FORGET THE OTAKU ADOLESCENCE OF ASAI AND HER FRIENDS!! LET'S BE GRATEFUL TO THE MIRACLE ENCOUNTER WITH "OTAKU-TYPE DELUSION GIRL"!! WE'VE RECEIVED MANY ILLLUSTRATIONS FROM OUR FANS!! PLEASE CHECK THEM OUT!

■ ITSUKA PAZURU
SAITAMA PREFECTURE

THE BONDS BETWEEN ASAI AND MATSUI ARE STRONG BECAUSE THEY LOVE THE SAME COUPLING.

■ HAKAMADA MERA
KANAGAWA PREFECTURE

A KISS BETWEEN ABE AND ASAI!? IT'S THE EXCITING SCENE FROM THE THIRD VOLUME.

■ KOTONO WAKAKO
TOKYO PREFECTURE

CHIBA AND MATSUI, THE BEAUTIFUL COUPLE. WAIT! WHERE IS CHIBA'S HAND TRYING TO REACH?!

NEWS

WE ARE NO LONGER COLLECTING LETTERS AND ILLLUSTRATIONS FROM OUR FANS, BUT WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE YOUR FEEDBACK ON THIS SEVENTH VOLUME AT THE ADDRESS BELOW, THOUGH WE WON'T BE ABLE TO SEND YOU BACK ANYTHING IN RETURN.

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■ MORINAGA MIRUKU
TOKYO PREFECTURE

MOMOTSUN HAS DRAMATICALLY CHANGED IN THIS SEVENTH VOLUME. PAY ATTENTION TO HER DEEP REGRET.

■ KITAGAWA TOTA
CHIBA PREFECTURE

HE LOOKS LIKE A CHARACTER FROM A FIGHTING GAME. GOOD LUCK WITH GETTING A GOLD MEDAL!

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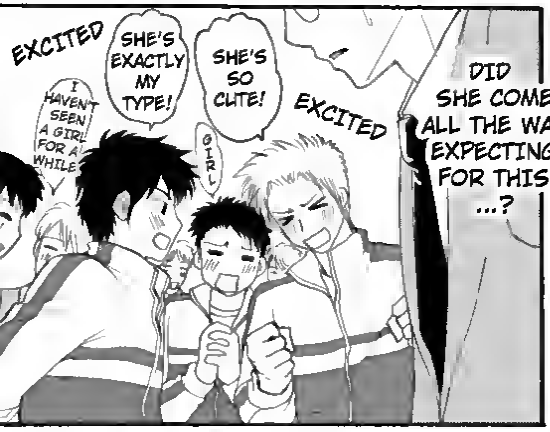
CHAPTER 45. CHEER UP, BABY

CHATTER
CHATTER
THERE'S A GIRL.
SHE'S TINY.
A GIRL...
IT'S OK. I'LL BE QUICK.
W-WELL... SHALL WE GO SOME-WHERE ELSE?
COULD IT BE !?
WELL, IT'S NOT SO EASY TO SAY.
WHAT?!
B-BMP
BUT...
WHAT DID SHE COME ALL THE WAY TO SEE ME FOR?
B-BMP
B-BMP

I WANT YOU TO FIND MALE MEMBERS FOR A MIXER.
MAYBE FOUR OF THEM.
CRACK
I DON'T KNOW WHO ELSE I CAN ASK FOR A FAVOR LIKE THIS, BESIDES YOU.
IT'S OBVIOUS THAT SHE WOULDN'T EVEN CONSIDER ME...
FINDING MEMBERS FOR A MIXER...
THAT'S RIGHT, OF COURSE.
MY FRIENDS ARE DESPERATELY LOOKING FOR MEN.
BUT, WE DON'T WANT THOSE KINDS OF GUYS LIKE LAST TIME.
WE NEED MEN WHO ARE MORE NATURAL AND COOLER.
I'M SO STUPID TO HAVE HAD SUCH A WRONG EXPECTATION.
DISAPPOINTED...
FUJI-KUN?
FOOTSTEPS
FU~JI~!
WHO'S THE GIRL?!
JUMP

WHAT'S GOING ON?!
WHAT'S UP! ARE YOU FUJI'S GIRLFRIEND? YOU'RE SO CUTE.
YOUR UNIFORM LOOKS LIKE KITA-HANEDA'S. ARE YOU REALLY HIS GIRLFRIEND ?
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
FUJI-KUN !?
ELBOW
WHOA !
ATHL-ETIC CLUB!
ME TOO !
I'LL CONTACT YOU LATER.
YOU SHOULD LEAVE FOR NOW.
WHAT THE HELL, IT'S JUST YOU.
BLOCK
OK, I'LL LOOK FOR THEM!
REAL-LY?
AH, OK, THANKS.

CROWD
どど,
WHAT? REALLY ?!
IT'S NOT LIKE THAT ...
THEN, INTRO-DUCE ME!
ME TOO! ME TOO!


EXCITED
SHE'S EXACTLY MY TYPE!
SHE'S SO CUTE!
EXCITED
I HAVEN'T SEEN A GIRL FOR A WHILE
GIRL
DID SHE COME ALL THE WAY EXPECTING FOR THIS ...?

SEE YOU LATER!
DAMN, SHE'S GONE.
WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT?
ISN'T SHE YOUR GIRL-FRIEND?
NO!

THEY'RE DESPERATE ANYWAY. IT'LL BE MORE THAN ENOUGH FOR THEM JUST BEING ABLE TO HANG OUT WITH GUYS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS
I DID A GOOD JOB!

I DON'T THINK HE CAN FIND GOOD MEMBERS THOUGH...
WELL, NOW I HAVE A MIXER PLANNED.

I CAN'T... IT'S NOT AS EASY AS IT SOUNDS...
UH...
LOOSEN UP A BIT.
DAMN, THESE LINES ARE AWFUL.
SHUT UP.
YOU HAVE TO LOOSEN UP AND LIFT YOUR PEN OFF THE PAPER AT THE END.
SURUUUU
YOU CAN DRAW FOCUS LINES.
SLIDE
SLIDE
ONCE YOU MASTER THESE...
AGHHHH!
I CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE!
WHAT'S THIS ALL ABOUT?!
IT'S CALLED TSUKE-PEN.
"IRI" AND "NUKI" ARE THE FIRST STEPS.
OR, YOU CAN USE A TRICK LIKE THIS.
THIS IS CALLED FLASH.
SLIDE
SLIDE
WOW, GREAT!

NOTE: "IRI AND NUKI" ARE THE BEGINNING AND THE END OF LINES.

WHAT BENEFIT WILL I GET FROM THESE TRICKS?
JUST TELL ME
WELL,
HOW ABOUT THAT?
YOU'LL BE THE MOST NEEDED PERSON FOR ASAI.
WHAT...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
FIRST, THEY CREATE THE STORY, THEN THEY DRAW DRAFTS AND THE CHARACTERS' MAIN LINES.
BOTH OF THESE CAN BE DONE BY ONE PERSON.
HEY DON'T TAKE MY BOOKS!
THESE COMIC BOOKS, WHICH YOU NORMALLY READ WITHOUT MUCH ATTENTION, GO THROUGH MANY DIFFERENT STEPS BEFORE THEY ARE COMPLETED.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
LET ME SHOW YOU EXAMPLES.

WHEN COMIC BOOK ARTISTS ARE PRESSED TO MEET A DEADLINE, THEY ASK THEIR ASSISTANTS TO DO THIS TYPE OF WORK.
FILL
EFFECT LINES
TONE
BACK-GROUND
PROPS
FURTHER MORE,
FRAME LINES

I RECALL YOU USED TO FAINT AND FALL ASLEEP IN JUNIOR HIGH... SO, THAT WAS BECAUSE...
MY SISTER HAS TRAINED ME SINCE I WAS A KID.
YEAH, THE DAY AFTER A DEAD-LINE.
YOUR SISTER...

I SEE...
BY THE WAY, HOW COME YOU KNOW SO MUCH?
FOR COMIC BOOK ARTISTS, ASSISTANTS ARE MORE VALUABLE THAN FOOD WHEN THEY FIGHT AGAINST TIME.

I'M TELLING YOU! IF YOU MASTER THESE ASSISTANT SKILLS WHILE YOU'RE SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL,
YOU'LL BE ABLE TO STAY WITH ASAI DURING WINTER BREAK!
IMPRESSED
ガーン
ONLY UNTIL COMIBA THOUGH.
WHISPER
I'LL DO MY BEST!
PLEASE TEACH ME, CHIBA SENSEI.
SHOWING FULL RESPECT
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I'LL BE TOUGH WITH YOU. BE READY.
GASP
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BUT, WHY DIDN'T YOU TEACH ME BEFORE?
...BEC-AUSE
I DIDN'T WANT TO END UP WORKING FOR THEM AS WELL.
YOU'VE ALREADY WORKED SO HARD FOR YOUR SISTER...
YEAH.
YOUR SISTER...

RUMI~
DINNER'S READY~
RUMI~
ZZZ...
UH...
IT'S CHILLY...
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ねてんのー
RUMI~
ARE YOU SLEEPING?

I WAS UP ALL NIGHT YESTER-DAY.
YAWN
RUMI~
WHOA, I FELL SLEEP IN MY UNIFORM.
YES~ I'M COMING~
GETTING UP
HEH HEH... GIGGLE
WHY? DID ANYTHING HAPPEN TO YOU?
YOU'RE AMAZING, RUMI! I ALREADY KNEW THAT YOU WERE GOOD, BUT YOU GOT EVEN BETTER!
ISN'T THERE AN ASSISTANT WHO CAN HELP ME?
SIGH...
HOW CAN I FINISH SIXTEEN PAGES IN TWELVE DAYS? I'VE NEVER DONE IT BEFORE!
BUT, IT'LL BE VERY TOUGH CONSIDERING THE AMOUNT OF TIME I HAVE LEFT.
AWWW, I WANNA START DRAW-ING ASAP.
IT'S WELL WORTH MY HARD WORK WITHOUT SLEEP.

STILL PRACTICING
(HE'S NOT YET USEFUL)
UGHHH
ぬおおお
CUTTING OUT TONE
IT'S DONE!
YOU FAILED.
YOU ALSO CUT PAPER UNDERNEATH.
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FALL OVER
WHAT THE HELL! IT'S SO ANNOYING!
YOU'RE TOO STIFF. LET ME SHOW YOU.
JUST LIKE DRAWING OVER THE LINE, KEEP YOUR WRIST FLEXIBLE.
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SMOOTH
WOW
YOU SEE? IT'S EASY.
ONCE YOU UNDERSTAND THE TRICK, IT'S PRETTY SIMPLE.
CHIBA-CCHI,
WHY ARE YOU BEING SUPPORTIVE ALL OF A SUDDEN?
YOU EVEN BROUGHT ME THESE TOOLS.
HUH?
SOME-HOW ...
.....

BLOW
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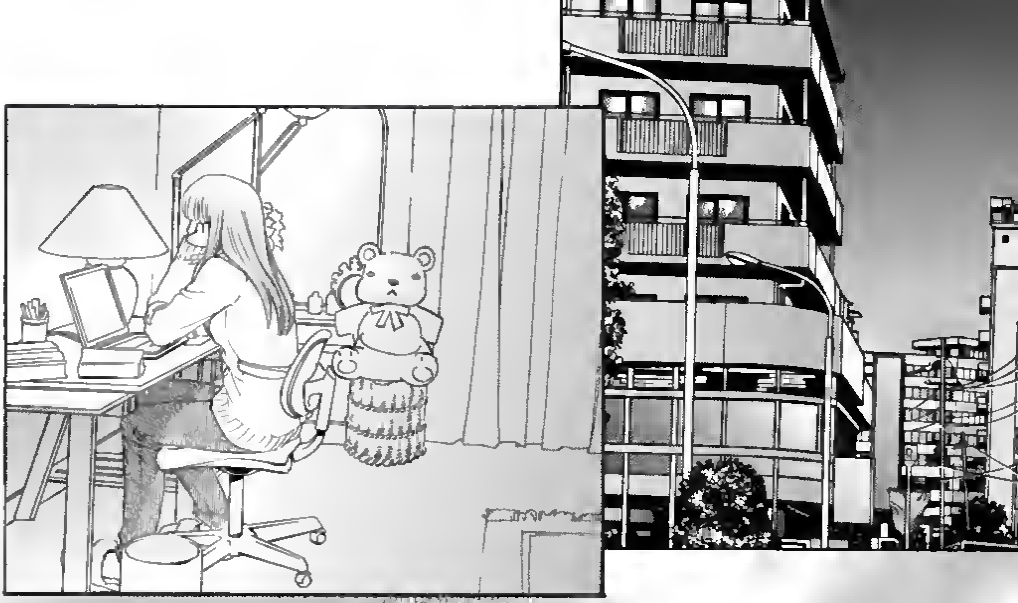
JUST SAY THANK YOU!
I'M HELPING YOU HERE!
MY SHOT-
プハッ
A SMASH
THIS IS KIND OF GROSS.
I'M JUST AFRAID THAT THERE MIGHT BE SOME SCHEME BEHIND ALL OF THIS.
I'M JUST WONDERING WHY YOU'RE SO SUPPORTIVE ALL OF A SUDDEN!?
YOU'VE BEEN ALWAYS EITHER DISTURBING OR IGNORING ME.
FOR SURE, IT'S BEEN FUN TO WATCH ASAI TRIFLING WITH YOUR FEELINGS UNTIL NOW, BUT...
BASTARD!
LOVE IS WONDERFUL,
ABE-CCHI.

SIGH
NO,
TO BE HONEST, I ENVY YOU.
WHAT? WHY?
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU?!
ARE YOU CRAZY?
ARE YOU GOING TO DIE SOON ?
GROSS!
YOU SOUND REALLY GROSS!
DON'T TRY TO GET AS FAR AWAY AS POSSIBLE FROM ME.
ROLLING AWAY
BECAUSE YOU'RE A VIRGIN.
SHE MADE ME STAY ALONE AND GAVE ME A PRIVATE LESSONS.
YEAH, SHE WAS A COLLEGE STUDENT WORKING PART-TIME.
THAT SOUNDED REALLY AWESOME.
SHE WAS YOUR TUTOR, WASN'T SHE?
MAYBE YOU DID ?
ROLLING BACK
W-WHAT ...
ARE YOU TRYING TO EMBARRASS ME?
NO, I'M TALKING SERIOUSLY.
I THREW AWAY MY VIRGINITY FAIRLY EASILY, DIDN'T I?
ARE YOU TRYING TO TELL ME THAT YOU'RE PROUD OF IT?
NO,
AT THE TIME, I WAS THINKING THAT I SHOULD GET RID OF MY VIRGINITY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
SO, I DID IT EVEN THOUGH I DIDN'T REALLY CARE ABOUT HER. I DIDN'T THINK THAT WAS IMPORTANT.

I THOUGHT THAT MAYBE WHAT YOU TOLD ME WAS RIGHT.
HUH?
WHEN YOU DO IT,
BUT, NOW THAT I'VE FOUND A GIRL WHO I REALLY LOVE,
I KIND OF REGRET WHAT I DID IN THE PAST...
IS HE TRYING TO BOAST ABOUT IT?
YOU SHOULD DO IT WITH SOMEBODY WHO YOU REALLY LOVE.
HE'S CLEARLY BI
YEAH
W-WITH MATSUI ?!
D-DID YOU DO IT
TELL ME MORE!
EXCITED
I WILL, BUT ONLY WHEN YOU LEARN HOW TO PASTE TONE WELL.
TO MAKE HIM WORK HARDER, I CAN USE A LITTLE INCENTIVE.
FLIP



FOR SURE, RUMI WROTE THE STORY BASED ON HER OWN FEELINGS AROUSED FROM HER OWN EXPERIENCES...

THE PRINCE'S FEAR AND HESITATION TOWARD HIS FIRST LOVE STRUCK MY HEART AS IF IT WAS MY OWN EXPERIENCE...

RUMI'S STORY WAS REALLY GOOD...

BUT, IT'S NOT ONLY THAT...

SHE DEVELOPED HER STORY AROUND THE PRINCE'S CHARACTER IN THE ORIGINAL STORY, SO THAT SHE CAN DRAW READER'S ATTENTION AND LEAD THEM STRAIGHT TO THE CLIMAX. SHE HAS SUCH AN AMAZING SKILL FOR COMPOSITION.

RUMI, SHE'S A FEARFULLY TALENTED GIRL.
SHE'S UNCONSCIOUSLY DOING THE SAME THINGS AS CHIBA'S SISTER OR AOI SAN DO.
WHEN I READ IT, IT TOUCHED MY HEART. I WAS REALLY IMPRESSED BY YOU. I FELT LIKE I DIDN'T WANT TO LOSE TO YOU.
IF THERE WAS A MOTIVATION, I GUESS IT WAS YOUR WORK, "THE WORLD BEGINS WITH YOU."
I CAN WRITE AS WELL.
I WON'T LOSE EITHER!
I'M NOT THE SAME AS YESTERDAY.
INTERESTING...

I DISCOVERED THE PLEASURE OF BEING LOVED BY SOMEONE WHO I LOVE.
I DIDN'T KNOW THAT DESIRE COULD BE STRONGER THAN PRIDE.
AM I THE SEDUCER HERE?
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SHRIEK
WHEN I TOUCHED HIS BODY AND FELT THE HEAT, I THOUGHT MY EXISTENCE WAS FORGIVEN...

THIS IS IT!
MY FEELINGS ARE SIMILAR TO KAZOO'S...
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GETTING UP
THIS IS THE "HAGAPURI" STORY THAT IS MEANINGFUL FOR ME TO WRITE AT THIS MOMENT.
LET'S MAKE MY STORY A SEQUEL... THIS BOOK WILL BECOME PRETTY IMPRESSIVE.
RUMI'S MAIN CHARACTER IS THE PRINCE, WHILE MINE IS THE COLONEL.
EXCITED
THE COLONEL FOUND THE MEANING OF HIS LIFE BY MEETING THE PRINCE.
ASA MATSU Online
STRANGE
I DON'T SEE ANY REACTION ...

HOW COME?
I SENT THEM TROLL MESSAGES AND EXPOSED THEIR WEBSITE TO O-CHAN.
THEY DON'T SEEM TO BE DEPRESSED AT ALL.
DEC 16TH
HELLO, IT'S BEEN A WHILE! FINAL EXAMS ARE OVER! I'VE BEEN ALREADY WORKING ON STORY DEVELOPMENT WITHOUT TAKING VACATION. I HAVE A FEELING THAT MY TEST RESULT WILL BE AWFUL... BUT I'M STILL GLAD THAT I'VE WORKED ON THE STORY! NOW, I'M STARTING TO MAKE ILLUSTRATIONS!
THE REAL-TIME DIARY HAS BEEN UPDATED AS WELL.
YAWN
ふぁーあ
DAMN, SO BORING!
MAYBE THESE WEREN'T THAT IMPORTANT TO THEM.
THIS COMIC BOOK IS INTERESTING.
DON'T ACT LIKE A SPOILED KID.
YOU'LL BE DOING "SHAVING" AFTER THAT.
I JUST WANNA KNOW THE BEGINNING, PLEASE!
SENSEI!
I'M SO CURIOUS ABOUT YOUR STORY THAT I CAN'T FOCUS ON MY WORK!
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FRUSTRATED

WHAT'S THAT CROWD?
WHY IS FUJI SO POPULAR ?
THAT'S BECAUSE ...
YESTERDAY, A GIRL FROM KITA-HANEDA HIGH SCHOOL CAME TO SEE FUJI AFTER SCHOOL.
WHAT ?
CHATTER
CHATTER
SHE WAS SO CUTE THAT EVERYBODY GOT EXCITED ABOUT HER.
THAT SOUNDS LIKE...
SHE MUST BE MOMO-CHAN.
YEAH.
HE DOESN'T HAVE ANY OTHER FEMALE FRIENDS.
SHE MIGHT FIND HER FUTURE BOYFRIEND FROM THE MEMBERS OF THIS MIXER,...
THAT MEANS I HAVE TO CAREFULLY SELECT MEN THAT WOULD BE SUITABLE FOR HER...
EXHALISTED...

IN THAT CASE...
WE NEED MEN WHO ARE MORE NATURAL AND COOLER.
NO NO, SHE'S NOT LOOKING FOR HER FUTURE HUSBAND.
OF COURSE, APPEARANCE MUST BE THE MOST IMPORTANT ELEMENT.
HOW ABOUT UCHIKAWA-KUN, THE TOP GRADE HOLDER?
HIS FUTURE MUST BE PROMISING.
THEY SEEM TO BE TOTALLY DIFFERENT FROM SOMEONE LIKE ME.
THEY'RE ALSO NICE PEOPLE ANYWAY.
YES.
HOW ABOUT THOSE HANDSOME ONES FROM THE BASKETBALL CLUB, KURIBAYASHI-KUN AND AOKI-KUN?
IF I COULD BRING THEM TO THE MIXER, MOMOSE-SAN WOULD BE HAPPY...
KURIBAYA-SHI-KUN, CAN I TALK TO YOU FOR A MINUTE ?
SURE, WHAT'S UP, FUJI ?

WHAT THE HECK. HE'S LOOKING FOR MEMBERS FOR A MIXER THAT HE WON'T BE GOING TO?
WHAT IS THIS? DID MOMO-CHAN IGNORE US?
GIGGLE
.. YEAH.
NO, I'M ONLY A MEDIATOR.
A MIXER? WITH THE FAMOUS GIRL FROM YESTERDAY? IT'S FINE WITH ME. ARE YOU COMING TOO?
ME TOO.
ESPECIALLY CHOOSING KURIBAYASHI OVER US.
DAMN, I'M GETTING A LITTLE UPSET ABOUT IT.
1-F

12/17 12:45
FURUKAWA SHUN
FROM YOUR SCHOOL
MOMO-CHAN CAME TO LOOK FOR MEN IN OUR SCHOOL YESTERDAY.
IS SHE A SLUT?
AH, HE SAID HE FOUND MEMBERS FOR THE MIXER.
GIRLS ARE NOISY.
REALLY!? OH MY GOD!!
マジで!?
キャおぉ
Re
FROM YOUR SCHOOL
I DON'T KNOW IF SHE'S A SLUT, BUT SHE'S ALWAYS EXCITED TO TALK ABOUT MEN. I'M SURE SHE LIKES THEM. WHY DON'T YOU GUYS PLAY WITH HER A LITTLE? HERE'S HER CONTACT INFO....
IN THE MEAN-TIME, ABE...
ALRIGHT! I MASTERED THE SLANT SHINING-SHAVING TECHNIQUE!
シャーッ
NOW, YOU GOT TO TELL ME THE DETAILS OF YOUR STORY, CHIBA-CCHI!
HE WAS FORGETTING THE REAL PURPOSE BEHIND HIS HARD WORK.

CHAPTER 45. END

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP, ABE-KUN.
SURE, NO PROBLEM.
IN RETURN...
WOULD YOU TAKE MY VIRGINITY...?
EXPLODE
UNZIP
IS THIS A DREAM!?
IT MUST BE A DREAM.
THEN, I DON'T NEED TO HESITATE...
DO YOU NOT LIKE SMALL TITS?
PANTING
I DO! THEY'RE TOTALLY FINE!
I ACTUALLY PREFER THOSE!
YOU'RE LYING.

CHAPTER 46. COLD CODE

EEEK!
WAKING UP
IT'S BEEN FOUR DAYS SINCE I GOT SUSPENEDED FROM SCHOOL...
AS A GESTURE OF REGRET, I'VE BEEN PRACTICING SELF-CONTROL UNTIL NOW, BUT...
DAMN
WHY MATSUI!?
WHY A FEMALE TEACHER?
DAMN! THAT DREAM WAS UNUSUALLY NICE AND COLORFUL...!
PANT
PANT
POSSIBLY, HIS DREAM WAS INFLUENCED BY THIS BOOK. (HIS FAVORITE)
I CAN'T HOLD IT ANY LONGER!
RUSTLING
LET'S CONTINUE FROM THE FIRST PAGE!
BUT MATSUI'S TEACHER COSTUME LOOKED NICE TOO!
WELL, HE'S A HEALTHY ADOLESCENT.

CONSTANT TYPING SOUND
GLASSES WHICH SHE'S BEEN WEARING SINCE JUNIOR HIGH
CONSTANT TYPING SOUND
NOTE: THIS IS MATTSUN.
CLICK
I HAVEN'T CHECKED IT SINCE THE FINAL PERIOD.
LET'S JUST SEE MY HOME PAGE BEFORE GOING TO SLEEP.
CLICK
ALRIGHT!
I'VE MOSTLY FINISHED THE MAIN STRUCTURE OF THE STORY.
WOW, IT'S ALREADY FIVE. I'VE GOTTA GO TO BED.
YAWN
WHAT?!
WHAT'S THIS LARGE NUMBER ON THE HIT COUNTER?
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
IS IT BROKEN?
STUNNED

COMMENT PAGE
NEWEST TO OLDEST
12/19 1:24
HELLO ASAMATSU-SAN! GOOD JOB FINISHING FINALS! IT'S HARUWO! IN OUR SCHOOL, WE ALSO FINISHED FINALS. I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT COMIBA!
12/18 23:56
YOUR WEBSITE HAS BEEN EXPOSED TO O-CHAN!
12/18 22:42
FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU FU
12/18 5:21
FRESH HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS... PANTING
12/17 19:35
I MISS TAKING FINALS! GOOD JOB! GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR NEW BOOK! BY YU
12/16 15:21
SHOCKED
IT GOT EXPOSED!

ASAI...
WHY ISN'T MATSUI AT SCHOOL YET?
HUH? SHE ISN'T ?
NOPE
SHE TOLD ME THAT SHE WAS GONNA WORK ON THE MAIN STRUCTURE OF HER STORY LAST NIGHT.
SHE MIGHT HAVE JUST OVER-SLEPT.
DAMN, THAT'S WHY SHE ISN'T RESPONDING TO MY MESSAGES?
ARE YOU ALREADY SENDING HER LOVE MESSAGES THIS EARLY IN THE MORNING?
GIGGLE
WELL, SOMETHING LIKE THAT.

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SHRIEK
I THOUGHT HE WAS GONNA BE SHY ABOUT IT, BUT HE WINKED AT ME INSTEAD!
HE'S SO IN LOVE THAT HE ALMOST MAKES US EMBARRASSED.
TRUE...
BY THE WAY, DON'T YOU MISS SEEING ABE-KUN AROUND CHIBA-KUN?
HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THAT?
HOW'S ABE-KUN DOING?
WHAT?
I DON'T KNOW!
AREN'T YOU KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH HIM?
NOT REALLY.
WHY NOT? AREN'T YOU GUYS IN THE SAME ART CLUB?
WELL, YES...
THEN WHY DON'T YOU SEND HIM A MESSAGE AT LEAST.
YOU ARE HIS FRIEND.
BUT, I HAVE NOTHING TO TALK ABOUT WITH HIM.
THAT'S RIGHT.
FRIENDS USUALLY DO THAT!
GOOD JOB, GIRLS!

クラス一同阿部応援中！

EVERYBODY IN HIS CLASS SUPPORTS ABE!

!!
UH... SO ANNOY-ING...
WHO COULD IT BE THIS EARLY IN THE MOR-NING.
RING TONE
VIBRATION
ASAI RUMI
HOW ARE YOU?
END
ガバッ
GETTING UP
WHOA! IT'S ASAI!
思わず正座!!
UNCONSCIOUSLY SITTING STRAIGHT!!
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
IF I RESPOND SAYING, "I'M HAVING A TROUBLE WITH ONE PART OF MY BODY BEING SO EXCITED IN THE MORNING," WOULD SHE HATE ME?
EVEN IF IT'S SHORT AND ONLY ONE LINE.
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IT'S SO SHORT... ONLY ONE LINE WITHOUT A SUBJECT.
OH NO, IT MAKES ME SO HAPPY.

BAM!
THIS ROOM STINKS!
HOW LONG DO YOU HAVE TO SLEEP!? WAKE UP ALREADY!!
I TOLD YOU NOT TO OPEN THE DOOR WITHOUT KNOCKING!
SHE RUINED EVERYTHING!
I'M JUST HAPPY TO KNOW THAT SHE CARES ABOUT ME...
HEY, DID HE RESPOND TO YOU YET?
HUH?
NOPE. MAYBE HE'S SLEEPING?
DAMN, ABE....
SERIOUSLY... I PUT OUT A DECENT AMOUNT OF EFFORT INTO SENDING HIM A MESSAGE...
SIGH
IF I KNEW I WAS GOING TO FEEL SO ANXIOUS FOR HIS RESPONSE, I WOULDN'T HAVE SENT IT...
NO NEW MESSAGES

1-B
MATTSUN ISN'T HERE YET.
REALLY? NOT YET ?
WHAT? MATSUI ISN'T HERE YET?
IT'S ALREADY NOON...
YEAH, NOBODY'S HEARD FROM HER TODAY.
WHAT HAPPENED TO HER ?
COULD IT BE AN ACCIDENT ?
YOU'RE OVER-THINKING IT.
IT MUST BE THAT SHE GOT SO INSPIRED THAT SHE DIDN'T WANNA STOP WORKING,
AND DECIDED TO SKIP SCHOOL.
MY SISTER USED TO DO THAT ALL THE TIME.
HEY
THAT'S NICE.
I'M GONNA CALL HER BECAUSE I'M WORRIED.
I'LL GO TO THE ART ROOM SO THE TEACHERS WON'T TAKE AWAY MY CELL PHONE.
I'LL COME WITH YOU.
WHAT'S THAT?
IT'S UNUSUAL TO SEE THOSE TWO ALONE.
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN?

TAH-DAH
3-D
DO THEY TASTE GOOD?
HOW DO YOU LIKE THEM?
DON'T HESITATE.
EAT AS MUCH AS YOU LIKE.
HERE
THESE ARE HAND-MADE BY THE WAY.
THESE ARE CALLED GINGER COOKIES. THEY BECAME POPULAR FOR THEIR GINGER EFFECT WHICH PREVENTS DISEASES. HENRY VIII WAS THE MODEL FOR THIS CUTE SHAPE.
DON'T YOU KNOW?
GINGER WARMS UP YOUR BODY!
NO, NO. I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT THAT.
MOST PEOPLE DON'T KNOW THE ORIGIN OF GINGER COOKIES ANYWAY.
WHAT ARE THOSE? ARE THEY GIFTS FROM SOME-ONE?
IT'S GOOD.
CRUNCHY AND NOT TOO SWEET.
THEY TASTE GREAT, BUT...
WHY DO THEY LOOK SO CUTE?

GASP
T-THESE ARE...
WHILE THOSE IN THE NICELY WRAPPED BASKET ARE CLEAN?
WHY ARE THE ONES IN THIS BOX BROKEN AND BURNED,
NO LEG...
HOW FEMININE IS HE...?
BAKING COOKIES FOR A GUY WHO HE LOVES ...
NO WAY. THOSE ARE FOR HIS PRINCESS.
WHAT? GIFTS FOR JUDO CLUB?
DASH
THESE ARE GIFTS FOR MY JUNIORS!
CHRISTMAS IS GETTING CLOSER.
YOU KNOW?
THIS TASTES A BIT OF TEARS.
AREN'T THEY TOO CUTE?
YOU'RE DISGUSTING!
YOU FAT OTAKU!

DON'T LOOK AT ME.
JUST LEAVE ME ALONE.
OH MY, GOSH, YOU'RE REALLY DISGUSTING! DON'T COME TO SCHOOL ANYMORE!
AREN'T THESE MEN?
UGH, IT'S AWFUL!
WHAT ARE YOU READING?
PLEASE STOP IT.
GIVE IT BACK TO ME
RING TONE
SELF-SATISFACTORY FUJOSHI.
YOU'RE DISGUSTING AND MEANINGLESS.
PLEASE DISAPPEAR.
YOKO~ WHY ARE YOU NOT RESPONDING TO MY MESSAGES?
WHAT WERE YOU DOING? SLEEPING?
RUMI!
PHEW. I'M GLAD YOU'RE ALIVE.

DON'T MAKE US WORRY ABOUT YOU!
CHIBA-KUN, DON'T TALK!
YES
MATTSUN, ARE YOU ALRIGHT?
YEAH, SORRY, I MADE YOU WORRIED ...
IT'S OK AS LONG AS YOU'RE FINE.
WHAT HAPPENED ANYWAY?
....SORRY ....
MATTSUN?
WHAT?
SORRY... I JUST FELT RELIEVED... SNIFF...
DID SOME-THING HAPPEN?
I'M SORRY...
OUR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED...

美術室
EXPOSED!?
ON O-CHAN!?
OUR WEBSITE !?
I FINALLY CHECKED OUR HOME PAGE AFTER A LONG TIME... AND SAW A HUGE NUMBER ON THE HIT COUNTER...
SNIFF...
THERE WERE NOT ONLY NICE COMMENTS BUT ALSO MANY TROLLS...
SNIFF...
I WAS SO SCARED...
THEY FINALLY REALIZED WHAT I DID...
B-BMP

I'M SORRY RUMI...
SOB...
...CAN I CLOSE DOWN
...OUR WEB-SITE?
...CAN I?
SOB...

...YEAH
IT'S OK.
I'M SORRY FOR NOT BEING WITH YOU AND MAKING YOU BE SCARED ALONE.
DON'T WORRY, IT'S NOT SOMETHING THAT WE SHOULD DO WHILE WE SUFFER SO MUCH.
DON'T YOU THINK ?
LET'S CLOSE IT DOWN!
YEAH!
I'M FINE.
ANYWAY, YOU SHOULD TAKE SOME REST, MATTSUN.
YOU HAVEN'T SLEPT YET, HAVE YOU?
CLOSING DOWN...!?
DON'T WORRY!
WE CAN STILL PUBLISH BOOKS WITHOUT A WEBSITE.
LET'S FOCUS ON THAT!
YEAH, I'LL CALL YOU AGAIN TONIGHT.

PI
WHAT HAPPE-NED...?
....SORRY, GIVE ME A MOMENT.
ボロッ
ボロ
ボロ
TEARING
W-WHO...
DID IT...
SNIFF...
うあっ...
FOR WHAT?
SNIFF...
えぐえぐ...
WHAT'S THE PURPOSE !?
SNIFF...
うえっえっ...
GASP
A-ASAI ...?

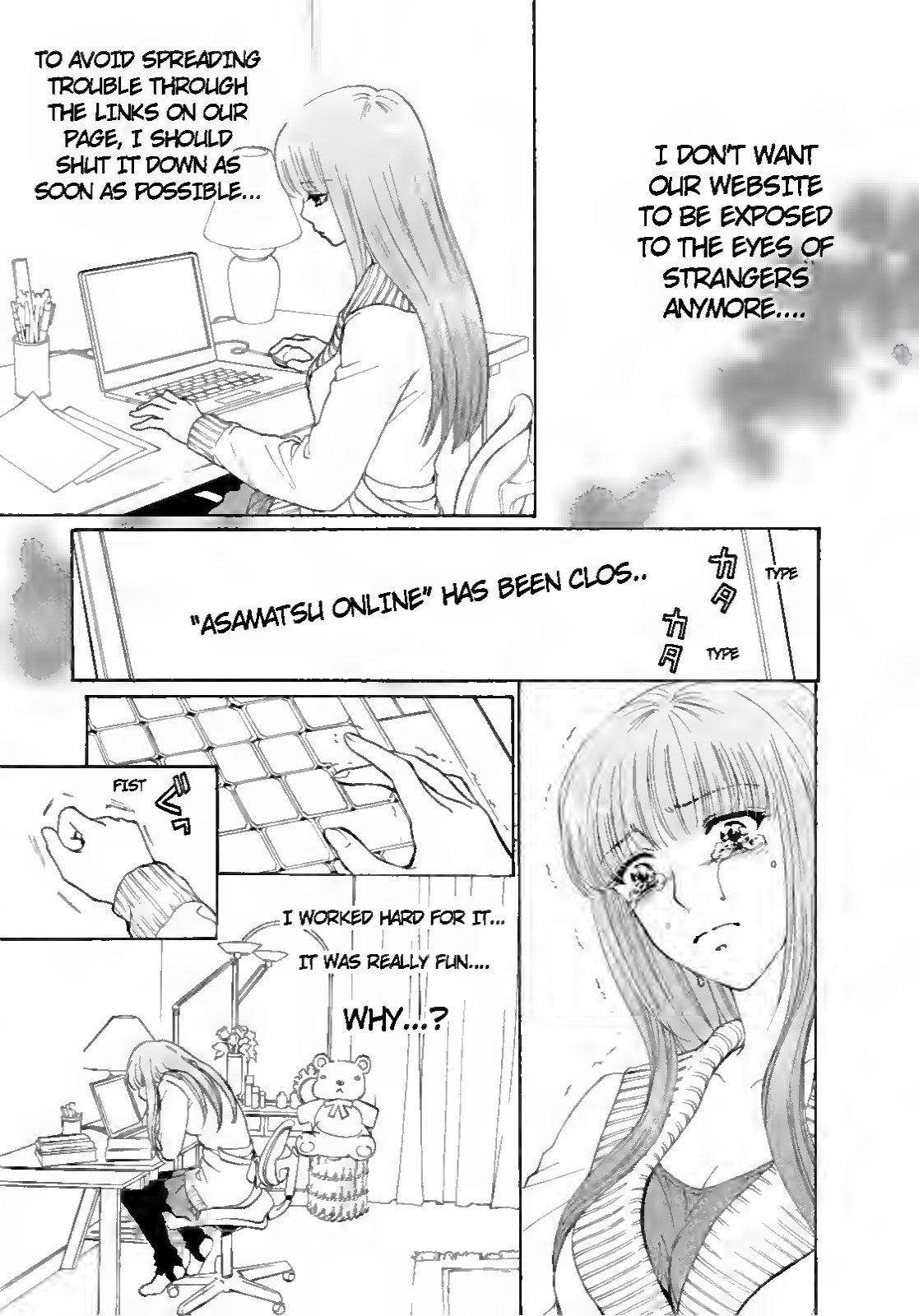
うあああっ
WAAAHHHHH
フンフン
フーンっ
HUMMING
EMERGE
DO YOU NEED SOMETHING?
STUNNED
ひゃっ
IT'S NOTHING.
?
ナっ
RUN

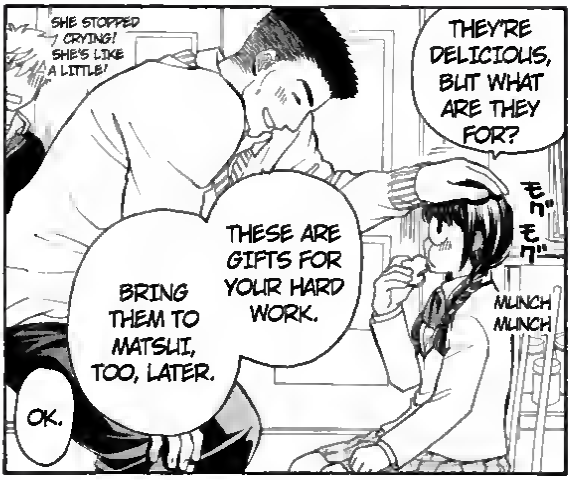
ISN'T THE CAPTAIN OF JUDO CLUB THEIR FRIEND? WHAT SHOULD I DO? HE SAW ME! WILL THEY FIND OUT ABOUT ME?
WAS IT SO IMPORTANT TO THEM THAT THEY'D EVEN CRY?
THAT HAPPENED BECAUSE I EXPOSED THEIR WEBSITE?
I JUST WANTED TO SEE THEIR DISAPPOINTED FACES...
AREN'T THEY OVERREACTING?
I DON'T THINK IT'S SUCH A BIG DEAL!
I SHOULD BE FINE BECAUSE THERE'S NO EVIDENCE. WITHOUT A PROOF, I CAN JUST IGNORE THEM.
I HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH WHAT JUST HAPPENED!
WHILE BEING SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL AND KEPT OUT OF THE SITUATION
"I'M NOT HAPPY BECAUSE I CAN'T SEE ASAI'S FACE."
HOW ABOUT THAT?
TYPE TYPE TYPE...
WELL, MAYBE THIS SOUNDS TOO MUCH LIKE I'M PRETENDING TO BE HER BOYFRIEND.
THAT'S BAD.
ABE WAS OPTIMISTICALLY THINKING ABOUT HOW TO RESPOND TO ASAI'S EARLIER MESSAGE.
HE SPENT FOUR HOURS DOING THIS.

CHAPTER 46. END

W-W-WHAT SHOULD I DO???
HOW CAN I CHEER HER UP IN THIS KIND OF SITUATION?
UH...
SNIFF...
SNIFF...
UH...
SOMEBODY HELP ME~!
SLIDE OPEN
HEY,
HOW'S IT GOING?

うわあああああん
WAAAHHHH
TSUKAMOTO-SAN~!
うえええ!?
WHAT!?
WHOA
SENPAI~!
WHAT HAPPENED !?
CHAPTER 47. OSHAKASHAMA
美少女オタク系①


TO AVOID SPREADING TROUBLE THROUGH THE LINKS ON OUR PAGE, I SHOULD SHUT IT DOWN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE...
I DON'T WANT OUR WEBSITE TO BE EXPOSED TO THE EYES OF STRANGERS ANYMORE....
"ASAMATSU ONLINE" HAS BEEN CLOS..
カタ TYPE
カタ TYPE
FIST
ピク
I WORKED HARD FOR IT...
IT WAS REALLY FUN....
WHY...?


SHE STOPPED CRYING! SHE'S LIKE A LITTLE!
THEY'RE DELICIOUS, BUT WHAT ARE THEY FOR?
THESE ARE GIFTS FOR YOUR HARD WORK.
BRING THEM TO MATSUI, TOO, LATER.
OK.
MUNCH MUNCH

BITE

EXCUSE ME,
SMILE
CAN I TRY SOME OF THOSE?
I FORGOT TO EAT LUNCH.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
I MADE SO MANY OF THEM.
STOMACH RUMBLING
DEEP BOW

WOW, THEY TASTE GREAT! THESE ARE AMAZING!
HEY, LEAVE SOME FOR MATTSUN!
FIST
MUNCH MUNCH

OF COURSE!
DON'T HESITATE!
HERE!
LIGHTS UP
むしろそっちが本命
THAT'S ACTUALLY THE MAIN PURPOSE!

YOU DON'T KNOW WHO DID IT?
...BUT
IT'S SHAMEFUL THAT THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO CAN DO SUCH AWFUL THINGS TO OTHERS.
...WE WERE REALLY ENJOYING RUNNING OUR WEBSITE.
WE MET NEW PEOPLE AND MADE FRIENDS.
AS SOON AS WE COMPLETED OUR WORK, PEOPLE SENT US FEEDBACK.
WHEN PEOPLE LIKED OUR WORK, WE FELT HAPPPY.
THEY ENCOURAGED US TO WORK HARD AND TO MAKE BETTER WORK IN THE FUTURE.
WE GOT SO MUCH INSPIRATION FROM THEM.

THEN, WE THOUGHT THAT THE INTERNET WAS A HAPPY PLACE.
THE PEOPLE WE MET THROUGH THE INTERNET WERE REALLY FUN AND NICE PEOPLE.
SOMETIMES, THEY WORRIED ABOUT US AND TRIED TO CHEER US UP, EVEN THOUGH THEY DIDN'T KNOW US PERSONALLY.
THAT WAS ONE OF THE MOST BASIC PRINCIPLES. WE WERE SO IGNORANT.
FRUSTRATED...
HMMM....
BUT WHY DO YOU HAVE TO SUFFER?
BEING EVIL IS A BAD THING, ISN'T IT?
AH
MY BRAIN JUST GOT NOURISHED.
?
?
UNTIL OUR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED,
WE DIDN'T REALIZE THAT THERE WERE ALSO INVISIBLE EVILS EXISTING THERE...

WE CAN TALK TO MY SISTER!
?
GASP
I DON'T WANNA DO THIS ANYMORE...
I'M GONNA DIE...
WHO SAID THAT WE SHOULD PUBLISH THREE NEW BOOKS?
YOU DID!!
YOU SAID YOU WANTED TO PILE UP BOXES OF BOOKS!
RING TONE
DAMN, I'M BUSY!
WHO'S CALLING ME?!
PICKING UP THE PHONE.
HELLO ?!
WHAT ?
HEY~ THAT WAS YOU, SHUN.
HOW ARE YOU? ♡
EXCITED
SMILE
NO PROBLEM!
I'M TOTALLY FREE!
THUMBS UP!
BRO-THER COMP-LEX.

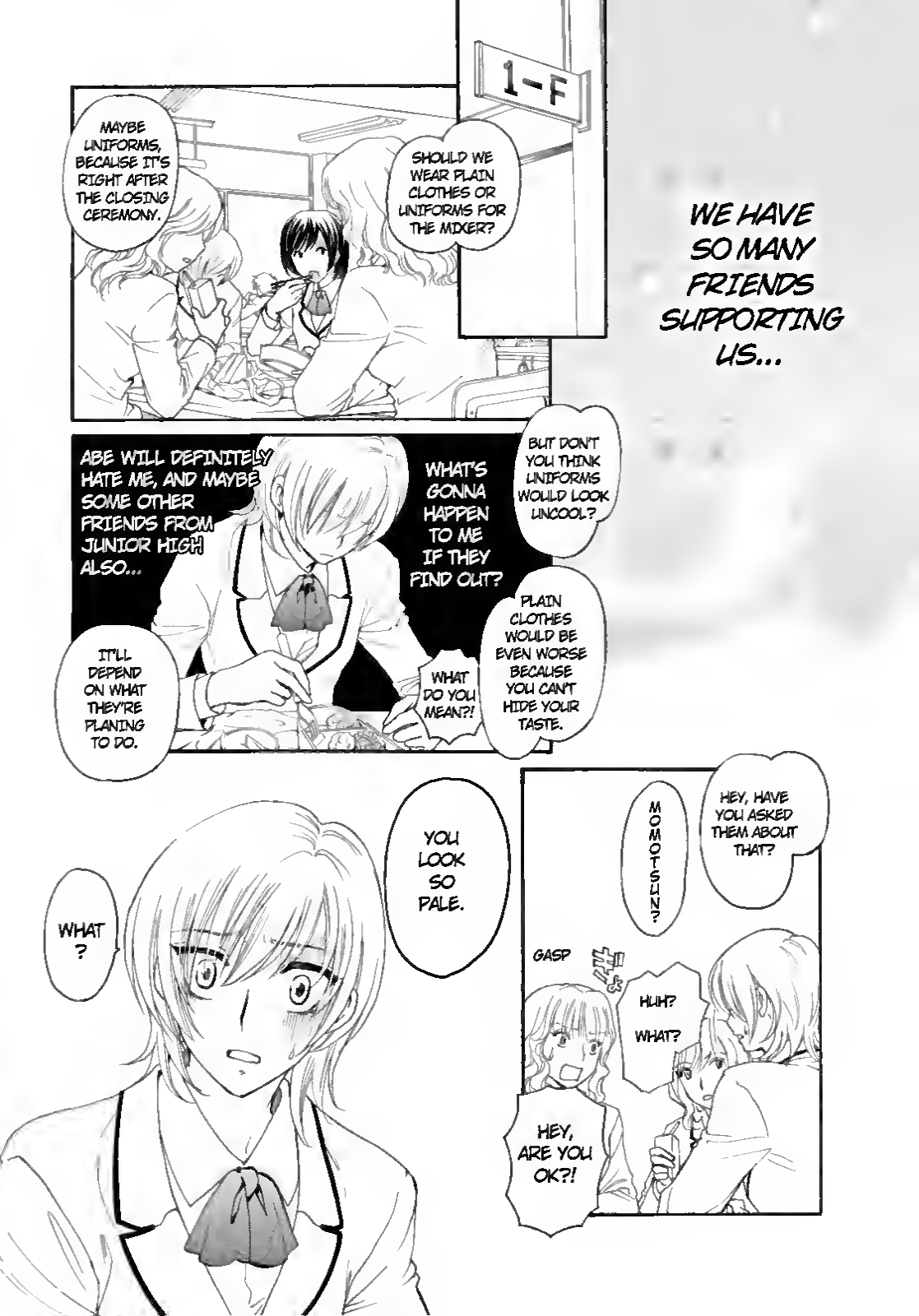
SHE GOT SO SHOCKED THAT SHE COULDN'T COME TO SCHOOL TODAY.
WHAT?
THEIR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED?
SHE'S VERY BEAUTIFUL AND LOOKS SIMILAR TO HIM.
I'D LOVE TO MEET HER.
BUT, SHE'S FUJOSHI. ISN'T THAT COOL?
THEY'RE SHUTTING IT DOWN?!
SHE'S ALREADY GOTTEN EXPOSED MANY TIMES.
WHAT!?
SHE SAYS IT'S NOT A BIG DEAL.
WHAT!?
あはははは。
HA HA HA HA
THEY'RE SO YOUNG.
THAT'S NOTHING!
I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY TIMES WE GOT EXPOSED!
REAL-LY!?
IT'S NOT FUNNY...
POSSIBLE REASONS COULD BE JEALOUSY OR ENVY, INSTEAD OF JUST WANTING TO ATTACK TWO DIMENTIONAL OR BOY'S LOVE PRODUCTS.
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE, BUT USUALLY THOSE PEOPLE ARE SOMEONE CLOSE.
CAN'T YOU FIND OUT WHO DID IT?
YES YES

HEH HEH
BY THE WAY, WHEN DID YOU GUYS START CALLING EACH OTHER BY FIRST NAMES?
THAT'S EASY.
GIGGLE
YOKO?!
THAT WILL MAKE HER FEEL BETTER BECAUSE YOU SOUND MORE CONVINCING THAN ME.
PLEASE!
SORRY TO BOTHER YOU, BUT CAN YOU CALL YOKO AND TELL HER WHAT YOU JUST TOLD ME?
BECAUSE YOU TRIED TO MAKE FUN OF HIM.
HE HUNG UP ON ME! I HAVEN'T HEARD HIS VOICE FOR A WHILE...
SNIFF
THANK YOU, SISTER !!
WHAT DID SHE SAY?
YEAH, SHE SAID SHE'LL CALL HER.
HANG UP!
THA-NKS
YOU GUYS ARE ...
ANYWAY, IT SEEMS THAT THIS IS NOTHING CRUCIAL.
I GUESS MATSUI WILL FEEL BETTER ONCE MY SISTER TALKS TO HER.
WHAT?!
NO, I DON'T!
SHE SAID THE SUSPECT CAN BE SOMEONE CLOSE TO YOU.
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA?

WHAT HAPPENED?
ARE YOU OK?
THANK YOU.
へなへなへな～～…
EXHAUSTED...
あは。
I JUST FEEL SO RELIEVED.
SMILE
NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
GOOD FOR YOU.
YES! THANK YOU VERY MUCH TSUKAMOTO-SENPAI.
AH BY THE WAY, HOW FAR HAVE YOU WORKED ON YOUR BOOK?
HUH ? I'M STILL WORKING ON DRAFTS; I'M ONLY HALFWAY DONE.
OK. ONCE YOU FINISH YOUR DRAFTS, YOU CAN START DRAWING MAIN LINES.
WHAT ?

ONCE WINTER BREAK STARTS,
ABECCHI AND I WILL HELP YOU AS ASSISTA-NTS.
I CAN DO SIMPLE BACKGROUNDS AND FILL HAIR COLOR.
I'LL TRAIN ABECCHI SO THAT HE CAN AT LEAST DO TONE PASTING BY THEN.
HE'S STILL USELESS THOUGH.
NOW SHE USES A COMPUTER.
YEAH, I HAD BEEN HELPING MY SISTER WITH HER BOOKS UNTIL LAST YEAR.
WHAT ARE THEY TALKING ABOUT?
REALLY?!
YOU USED TO BE PART OF THE HIGH QUALITY TEAM?
REALLY !?
AS THE MEMBERS OF THE ART CLUB, WE'LL HELP YOU WITH EVEN THE BINDING PROCESS OF YOUR COPY BOOKS.
SO, DON'T GIVE UP!

HA HA HA
はは
OUR FRIENDS HELP US AND TRY TO CHEER US UP!
THANK YOU CHIBA-KUN~!
CONFUSED
オロオロ
YOU HAVE GOOD FRIENDS, ASAI. GOOD LUCK.
DON'T CRY!
WHAT SHOULD I DO?!
うえーん
WEEP
THANK YOU, SENPAI~
EVEN IF SOME STRANGERS LOOK DOWN ON US...
AMAZING!
ぶわっ
TEARING
INCREDIBLE!
FANTASTIC!
I'M SO HAPPY~!
うれしすぎる~
だって
MATTSUN, LET'S BELIEVE IN OUR FRIENDS
INSTEAD OF BEING HURT BY COMMENTS FROM ANONYMOUS PEOPLE.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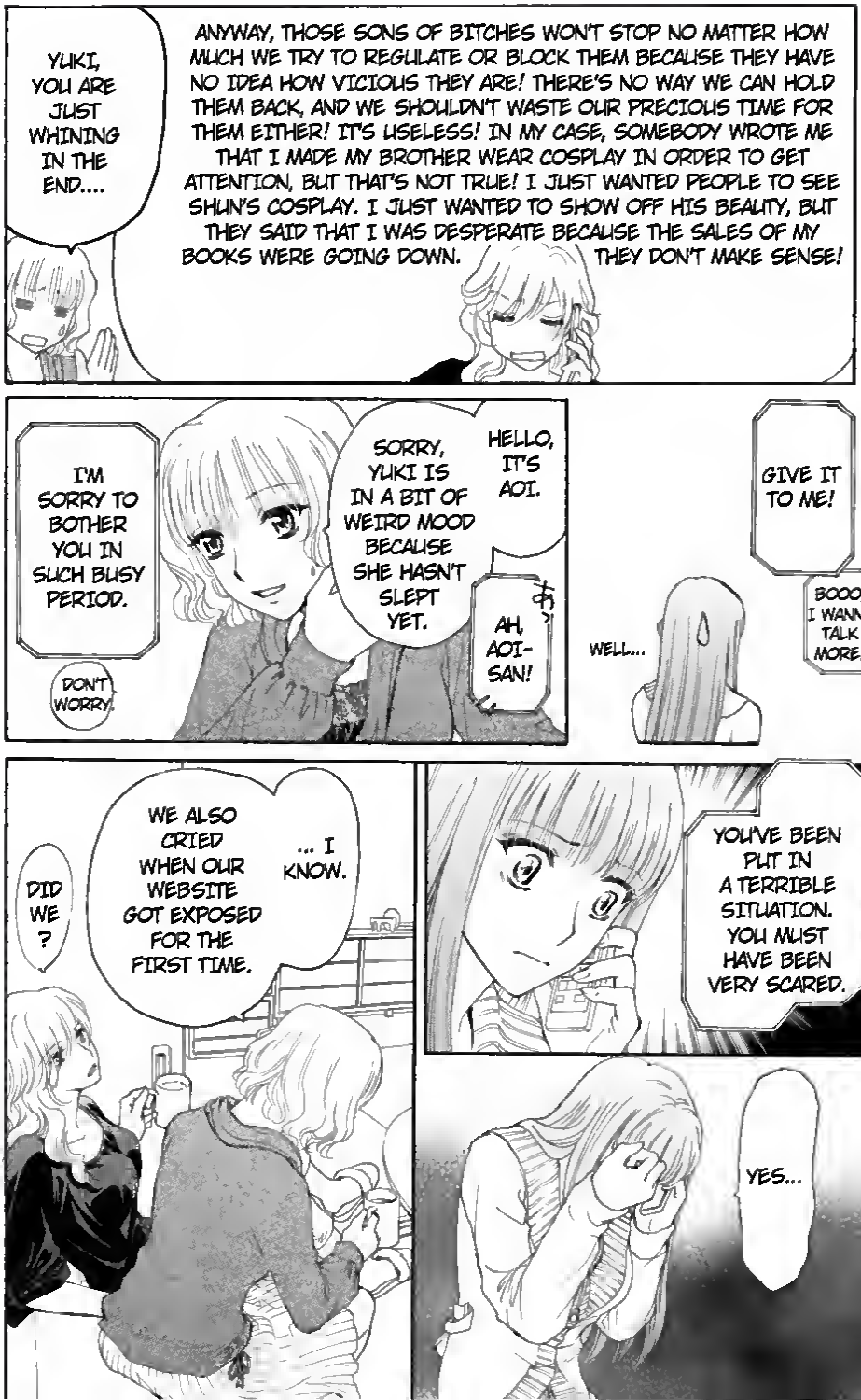
MAYBE UNIFORMS, BECAUSE IT'S RIGHT AFTER THE CLOSING CEREMONY.
SHOULD WE WEAR PLAIN CLOTHES OR UNIFORMS FOR THE MIXER?
WE HAVE SO MANY FRIENDS SUPPORTING US...
ABE WILL DEFINITELY HATE ME, AND MAYBE SOME OTHER FRIENDS FROM JUNIOR HIGH ALSO...
WHAT'S GONNA HAPPEN TO ME IF THEY FIND OUT?
BUT DON'T YOU THINK UNIFORMS WOULD LOOK UNCOOL?
IT'LL DEPEND ON WHAT THEY'RE PLANING TO DO.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?!
PLAIN CLOTHES WOULD BE EVEN WORSE BECAUSE YOU CAN'T HIDE YOUR TASTE.
HEY, HAVE YOU ASKED THEM ABOUT THAT?
MOMOTSUN?
GASP
HUH?
WHAT?
HEY, ARE YOU OK?!
YOU LOOK SO PALE.
WHAT ?

SORRY
I'LL GO TO THE BATHROOM.
HEY, MAYBE SHE'S HAVING MORNING SICKNESS.
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
HA HA HA
きゃはははっ
THAT'S NOT REALLY IMPOSSIBLE.
SOUNDS AWFUL.
NORI...
THERE'S A RUMOR WHERE PEOPLE THINK SHE WENT TO A BOY'S SCHOOL BY HERSELF TO LOOK FOR MEN.
SOME PEOPLE REALLY BELIEVE THAT.
WHAT'S THAT ABOUT ?
I'LL SHOW YOU A PROOF.
SOUNDS TERRIBLE.
REALLY !?
HE'S OTAKU-KUN FROM LAST MIXER.
SHE WENT TO ASK HIM TO SET UP THE NEXT MIXER FOR YOU.
I GUESS YOU CAN'T EXPECT ANYTHING GOOD FROM OTAKU-KUN.
HA HA HA
あはははは
OH MY GOSH ...

I WASN'T SERIOUS...
BUT WHY ARE THEY...
I JUST WANTED TO SEE THEIR DISAPPOINTED EXPRESSIONS.
LEAVING COMMENTS WAS SO SIMPLE...
PANT
PANT
UGH
UH
TOILET FLUSHING
SEE YOU LATER.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
I'M SO HUNGRY.
BY THE WAY, CHIBA.
DO YOU KNOW A GIRL ABOUT THIS HEIGHT WITH SHORT HAIR AND BIG ALMOND SHAPED EYES IN FRESHMAN YEAR?
A LITTLE BIT SHORTER THAN ASAI.
BIG ALMOND SHAPED EYES AND SHORT HAIR...

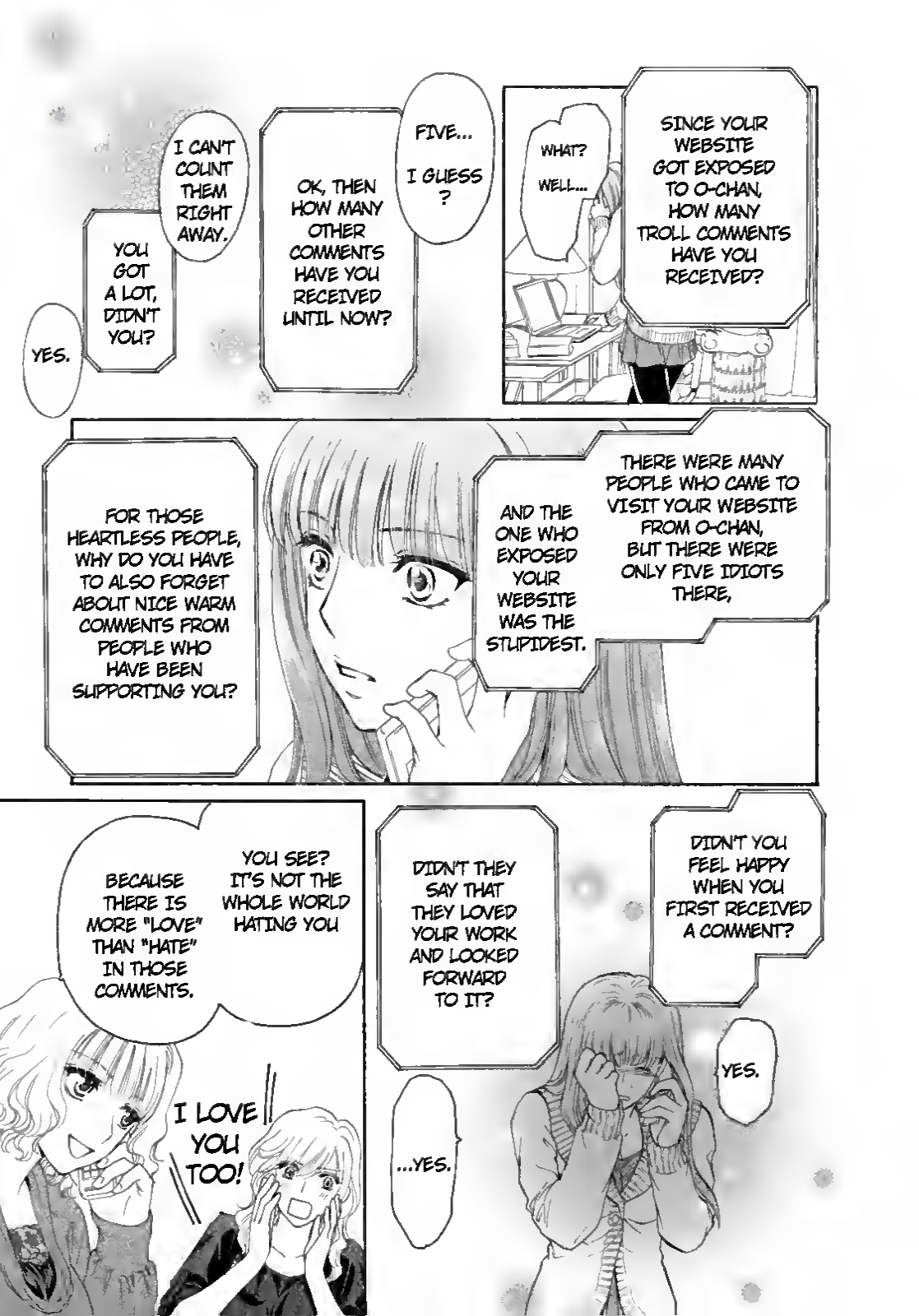
I REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED EVEN BEFORE THEN..
SHE WENT TO THE SAME JUNIOR HIGH WITH US.
AH
HOW DO YOU KNOW?
MOMOSE ?
MOMOSE !?
THE GIRL WHO KISSED ABE...?
YOU CAN'T SUSPECT HER WITHOUT EVIDENCE.
SHE'S A HIDDEN FUJOSHI.
...IF MOMOSE DID THAT, EVERYTHING MAKES SENSE TO ME.
JEALOUSY MADE MOMOSE EXPOSE THEIR WEBSITE.
CRAZY ABOUT HER
LOVE
SO WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH HER?
WELL, WHEN I CAME TO ART ROOM BEFORE, SHE WAS PEEKING IN THE DOOR. I THOUGHT SHE MIGHT KNOW SOMETHING.
WHAT !?
THEN, LET'S STOP BY AND MAKE SURE...
AH
MOMOSE!
!!

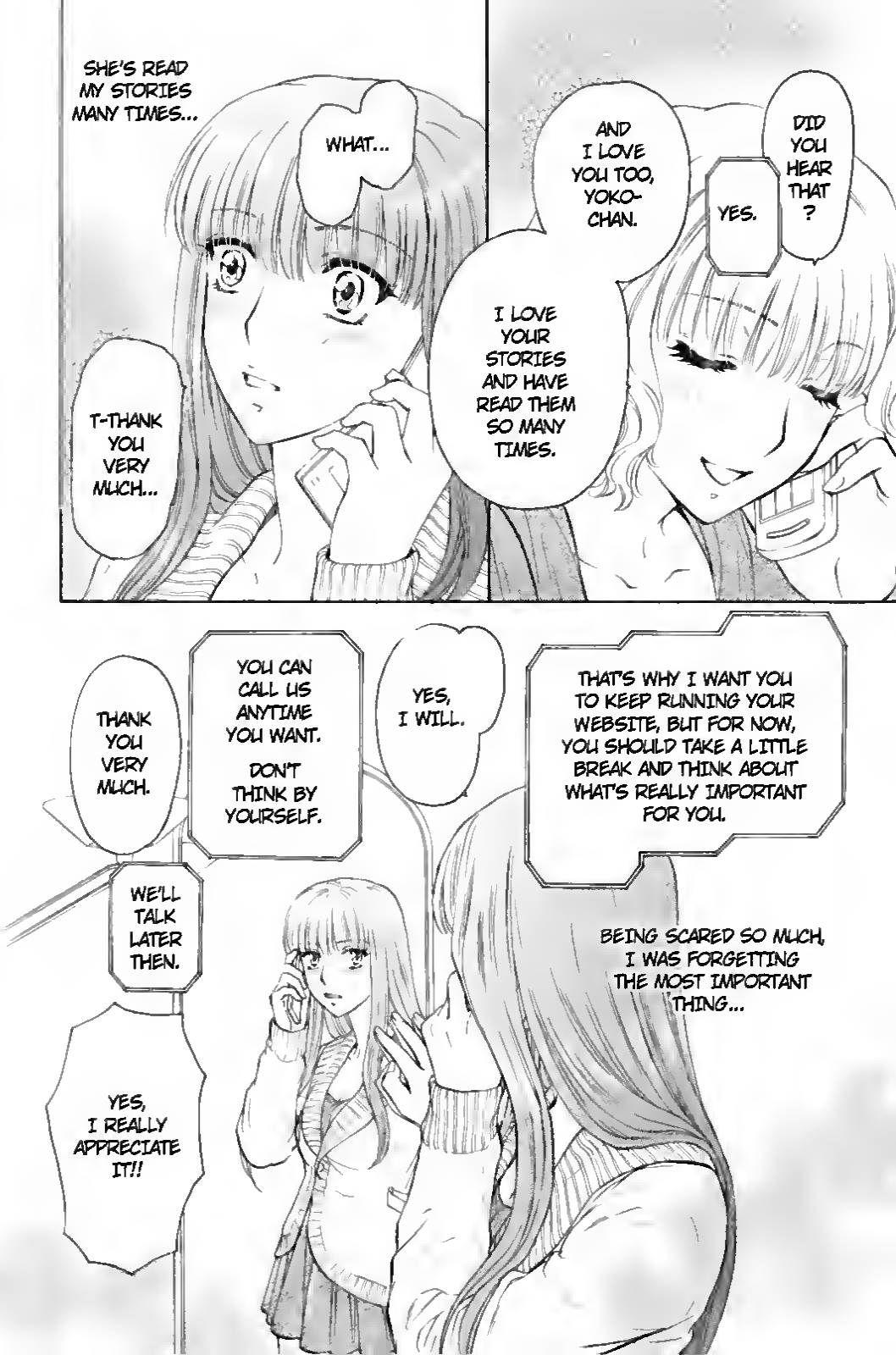
SO, YOU DON'T HAVE TO CLOSE IT DOWN.
YOU GOT THAT?
WHAT ...?
BUT...
IF YOU'RE SCARED OF SPREADING DAMAGE TO OTHER LINKS, YOU CAN UNLINK THEM FOR A WHILE.
IF YOU'RE SCARED OF TROLL COMMENTS, JUST DETACH THE COMMENT FORM.
THE BEST WAY IS NOT DOING ANYTHING.
YUKI-CHAN SOUNDS ROUGH BECAUSE SHE GOT IGNORED BY SHUN-KUN
THOSE WHO EXPOSE OTHER PEOPLE'S WEBSITES ARE STUPID LOSERS WHO CAN'T DO ANYTHING WITH THEIR OWN SKILL, SO THEY NEED TO BORROW THE POWER OF ANONYMOUS BULLETIN-BOARDS TO ATTACK OTHERS.
WHY DO YOU HAVE TO BE AFFECTED BY THOSE IDIOTS.


YUKI, YOU ARE JUST WHINING IN THE END....
ANYWAY, THOSE SONS OF BITCHES WON'T STOP NO MATTER HOW MUCH WE TRY TO REGULATE OR BLOCK THEM BECAUSE THEY HAVE NO IDEA HOW VICIOUS THEY ARE! THERE'S NO WAY WE CAN HOLD THEM BACK, AND WE SHOULDN'T WASTE OUR PRECIOUS TIME FOR THEM EITHER! IT'S USELESS! IN MY CASE, SOMEBODY WROTE ME THAT I MADE MY BROTHER WEAR COSPLAY IN ORDER TO GET ATTENTION, BUT THAT'S NOT TRUE! I JUST WANTED PEOPLE TO SEE SHUN'S COSPLAY. I JUST WANTED TO SHOW OFF HIS BEAUTY, BUT THEY SAID THAT I WAS DESPERATE BECAUSE THE SALES OF MY BOOKS WERE GOING DOWN. THEY DON'T MAKE SENSE!
I'M SORRY TO BOTHER YOU IN SUCH BUSY PERIOD.
DON'T WORRY.
SORRY, YUKI IS IN A BIT OF WEIRD MOOD BECAUSE SHE HASN'T SLEPT YET.
HELLO, IT'S AOI.
AH, AOI-SAN!
WELL...
GIVE IT TO ME!
BOOO, I WANNA TALK MORE!
DID WE ?
WE ALSO CRIED WHEN OUR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED FOR THE FIRST TIME.
... I KNOW.
YOU'VE BEEN PUT IN A TERRIBLE SITUATION. YOU MUST HAVE BEEN VERY SCARED.
YES...

WE FELT THAT THE WHOLE WHORLD HATED US.
AOI-SAN... YOU ALSO FELT LIKE THAT?
SURE, I EVEN SUSPECTED WEBSITES THAT HAD BEEN VERY FRIENDLY TO US AND THOUGHT THAT THEY HATED US.
WE BELIEVED THAT THEY WERE MAKING FUN OF US BEHIND OUR BACK.
I WANTED TO ELIMINATE NOT ONLY OUR WEBSITE BUT ALSO MYSELF.
I'M GLAD I DIDN'T DO THAT THOUGH.
I THOUGH THAT I SHOULD DISAPPEAR BECAUSE THE THINGS THAT I LOVE ARE SOMETHING VERY DISGUSTING, AND THE SECOND USE OF COPYRIGHTED MATERIALS WITHOUT PERMISSION IS A BAD THING.
WE WERE ALSO...
UH..
FEEL-ING THE SAME.
UH..

MASTERPIECE! MILLION SELLER! TEAR-GENERATING!
EVEN WORKS THAT ARE GENERALLY CONSIDERED TO BE MASTERPIECES HAVE SOME CRITICS AGAINST THEM.
BUT THAT'S JUST AN INDIVIDUAL'S CHOICE. ARTISTS CAN'T CONTROL WHAT THE AUDIENCE THINKS ABOUT THEIR WORK.
IT'S TOO TYPICAL.
THIS STORY IS SHALLOW.
I SEE...
BUT, THINK ABOUT THIS.
THERE'S NO WORK THAT CAN BE 100% ACCEPTED BY THE AUDIENCE.
WHAT ?
YOU CAN COMPREHEND THE BOOK IN WHATEVER WAY YOU LIKE BUT THE STORY IS NOT COMPLETELY ABOUT AOI CHAN AND I.
ABOUT SHUNSUKE AND AOI SAN?
WHAT ?
IS THIS STORY ...
TRUE...
WHEN I REALIZED THAT, I THOUGHT THAT IT'D BE RIDICULOUS TO KILL MYSELF FOR THOSE ANONYMOUS PEOPLE.
BECAUSE WE HAVE FRIENDS AND FANS THAT ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO OUR WORK.


SINCE YOUR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED TO O-CHAN, HOW MANY TROLL COMMENTS HAVE YOU RECEIVED?
WHAT? WELL....
FIVE... I GUESS ?
OK, THEN HOW MANY OTHER COMMENTS HAVE YOU RECEIVED UNTIL NOW?
I CAN'T COUNT THEM RIGHT AWAY.
YOU GOT A LOT, DIDN'T YOU?
YES.
THERE WERE MANY PEOPLE WHO CAME TO VISIT YOUR WEBSITE FROM O-CHAN, BUT THERE WERE ONLY FIVE IDIOTS THERE,
AND THE ONE WHO EXPOSED YOUR WEBSITE WAS THE STUPIDEST.
FOR THOSE HEARTLESS PEOPLE, WHY DO YOU HAVE TO ALSO FORGET ABOUT NICE WARM COMMENTS FROM PEOPLE WHO HAVE BEEN SUPPORTING YOU?
DIDN'T YOU FEEL HAPPY WHEN YOU FIRST RECEIVED A COMMENT?
YES.
DIDN'T THEY SAY THAT THEY LOVED YOUR WORK AND LOOKED FORWARD TO IT?
...YES.
YOU SEE? IT'S NOT THE WHOLE WORLD HATING YOU
BECAUSE THERE IS MORE "LOVE" THAN "HATE" IN THOSE COMMENTS.
I LOVE YOU TOO!


SHE'S READ MY STORIES MANY TIMES...
WHAT...
T-THANK YOU VERY MUCH...
I LOVE YOUR STORIES AND HAVE READ THEM SO MANY TIMES.
AND I LOVE YOU TOO, YOKO-CHAN.
YES.
DID YOU HEAR THAT ?
THAT'S WHY I WANT YOU TO KEEP RUNNING YOUR WEBSITE, BUT FOR NOW, YOU SHOULD TAKE A LITTLE BREAK AND THINK ABOUT WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT FOR YOU.
YES, I WILL.
YOU CAN CALL US ANYTIME YOU WANT.
DON'T THINK BY YOURSELF.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
WE'LL TALK LATER THEN.
BEING SCARED SO MUCH, I WAS FORGETTING THE MOST IMPORTANT THING...
YES, I REALLY APPRECIATE IT!!

I HAVE MY BEST FRIEND, BOYFRIEND, CLASSMATES, AND OTHER FRIENDS.

I'M NOT THE SAME AS I USED TO BE.

AOI-SAN, WHO I'VE BEEN ADMIRING LIKE A GOD, TOLD ME THAT SHE LIKES ME AND MY WORK!!
at home

THE WHOLE WORLD IS NOT HATING ME AT ALL.
I'M NOT ALONE.

STUPID TROLL COMMENTS!
DELETE
DELETE
DELEEE-TTTEEE!!!!
WHATEVER MY GOD TELLS ME TO DO!!
WHAT? DID ABE RESPOND TO YOU?
AWESOME!
STARTLED
ビクッ
MATSUI YOKO
DON'T WORRY
I WON'T SHUT IT DOWN!
WE'LL TALK MORE LATER.
FOR NOW, I'M GONNA SLEEP!
LOVE YOU!!
WHAT IS ABE DOING?!
IT'S FROM MY LOVER, MATTSUN.
NOT YET~
STILL THINKING.
HMMM...
OH WELL...
CHAPTER 47. END

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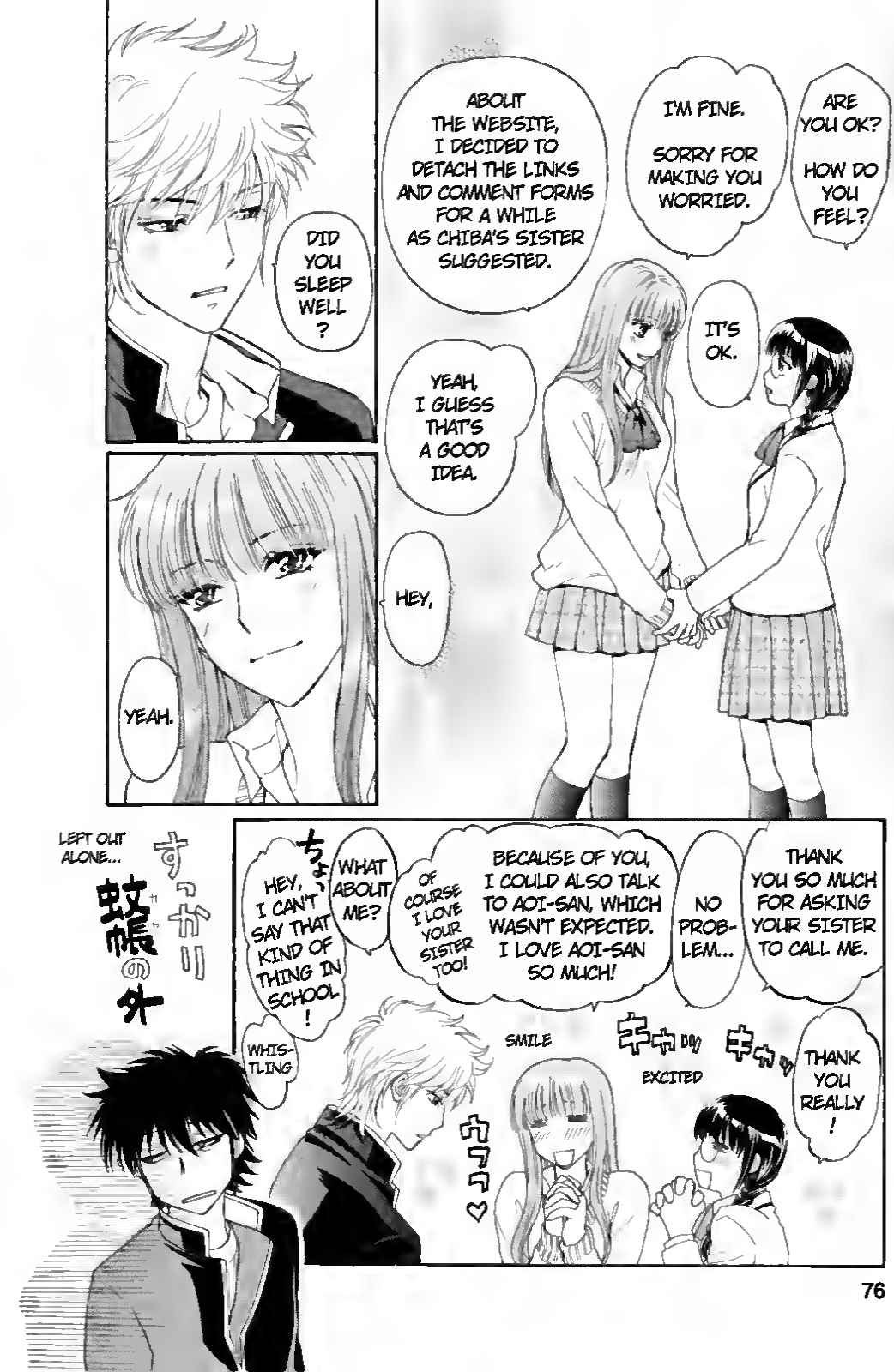
YAY
HE'S SO DELIGHTED.
I'M BACK!!
HEHEHE, IT'S BEEN A VERY LONG WEEK.
ABE-CCHI !!
IT'S BEEN A WHILE, YOUNG MAN!!
HEY, YOU'RE ALIVE!
WRESTLING
ボッコ ボコ
WHOA
STOP IT!
ASAI-SAN!

GOOD MORN-ING,
ASAI.

!!
WELCOME BACK, ABE-KUN!

SLIDE OPEN
ガラッ
GOOD MORNING!
RUMI ASA..!!
OR, THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO HAPPEN!!
HE'S HEAVILY HAVING DELUSIONS.
MATTSUN!
ズンッ
WIAT!!
BAD TIMING, ABE...
I'LL TELL YOU LATER.
MANY THINGS HAPPENED WHILE YOU WERE AWAY.
I'VE BEEN AWAY FOR A WEEK...
W-WAIT A SEC...
PAT


DID YOU SLEEP WELL?
ABOUT THE WEBSITE, I DECIDED TO DETACH THE LINKS AND COMMENT FORMS FOR A WHILE AS CHIBA'S SISTER SUGGESTED.
I'M FINE. SORRY FOR MAKING YOU WORRIED.
ARE YOU OK? HOW DO YOU FEEL?
IT'S OK.
YEAH, I GUESS THAT'S A GOOD IDEA.
HEY,
YEAH.
すっかり蚊帳の外
LEFT OUT ALONE...
WHAT ABOUT ME?
HEY, I CAN'T SAY THAT KIND OF THING IN SCHOOL!
WHISTLING
OF COURSE I LOVE YOUR SISTER TOO!
BECAUSE OF YOU, I COULD ALSO TALK TO AOI-SAN, WHICH WASN'T EXPECTED. I LOVE AOI-SAN SO MUCH!
NO PROBLEM...
THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR ASKING YOUR SISTER TO CALL ME.
SMILE
EXCITED
THANK YOU REALLY!

HEY, ABE. IT'S BEEN A WHILE.
WHAT?!
ABE-KUN!
TRUE!
SINCE WHEN?
HEY, WHAT'S UP...?
AH, HE'S UPSET NOW.
I'VE BEEN HERE FOR A WHILE...
GRAB
HUH?
WHAT?
WHY?
THANK YOU, ABE-KUN!
CHIBA-KUN TOLD ME THAT YOU'LL HELP ME AS AN ASSISTANT, TOO.
WHAT?
Y-YEAH.
THANK YOU.
THAT'S A HUGE ENCOURA-GEMENT.

REALLY !?
CHIBA-KUN WAS HIS SISTER'S ASSISTANT FOR A LONG TIME!
ISN'T THAT AMAZING?!
I'M TRAINING HIM NOW.
WHAT?
YOU CAN DO ASSISTANT WORK ?!
RELEASE
BLUSH
AH...
YEAH.
SHOCKED
IF THEY BECOME YOUR ASSISTANT, THEY'LL AUTOMATICALLY SEE YOUR WORK.
I THOUGHT YOU DIDN'T WANT THEM TO.
IN THE FOURTH VOLUME...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ?
BUT, ARE YOU OK, RUMI?
I WOULD BE MORE EMBARRASSED TO PUBLISH INCOMPLETE BOOKS THAN TO SHOW YOU MY WORK.
IT'S NOT LIKE NECESSITY KNOWS NO LAW, BUT...
OHHH... THAT'S RIGHT...

DON'T WORRY, THIS TIME, THERE ARE NOT SO MANY DEEP SCENES.
HA HA HA
SO, PLEASE BE READY WHEN YOU COME TO ASSIST ME!
OHH
DO I NEED THAT MUCH PREPARATION ?!
EEK
MOSTLY MENTAL.
AH...
B-BMP
FOR HER SMILE, I CAN EVEN FLY THE SKY.
I'LL DO MY BEST!
JUST JOKING.
EWWW, YOU'RE SO GROSS.
AH, THAT'S ABE.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, GROSS!?
SHUT UP, YOU'RE GROSS!
OH YEAH, HE'S NO LONGER SUSPENDED.

SHOULD WE JUST CANCEL AT THE LAST MINUTE ?
ACTUALLY, I DON'T REALLY WANNA GO.
I CAN'T STAND OTAKU.
THAT'S AWFUL!
HA HA HA
YOU WORRY ABOUT THAT INSTEAD ?
REALLY?
WHAT ABOUT TOMORROW'S MIXER THEN?
BY THE WAY, MOMOTSUN'S NOT COMING TO SCHOOL TODAY BECAUSE SHE'S SICK.
THEY DEFINITELY CAME TO LOOK FOR ME...

WHAT ...?
TSU-KAMO-TO-SAN ?
SORRY, THAT WAS MY MISTAKE.
BYE
WHAT ?
W-WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT?
SORRY
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE THAT HE MISTOOK ME FOR SOMEBODY ELSE.
HIS EYES... IF HE CONFRONTED ME ABOUT WHAT I DID, I DON'T THINK I COULD FIND EXCUSES...
WHY DID HE LET ME GO?

BEEP
WHAT ?
THANK YOU FOR YOUR REGISTRATI
MEET CELEBRITY HANDSOME MEN
SPECIAL OFFER FOR OUR MEMBE
"MOMOSE-SAMA" YOU'VE RECEIV
A MESSAGE FROM "TOMOYA-SAM
READ NOW
WHAT'S THIS? IS IT MATCH.COM ?
BEEP
BEEP
2 NEW MESSAGES
AGAIN ?
I'VE NEVER REGISTERED THOUGH.
BEEP
"J" SENT YOU A REQUEST.
HELLO. I'M LOOKING FOR SOMEONE WHO CAN HAVE SOME FUN WITH ME. I'M A MEMBER OF A FAMOUS SINGER GROUP.
BEEP
I SAW YOUR POST
ARE YOU A REAL HIGH SCHOOL GIRL? I CAN PAY YOU 3K FOR EACH TIME. I WON'T DO ANYTHING THAT YOU WOULDN'T LIKE. I'M A GENTLE MAN. SEND ME BACK A MESSAGE.
WHAT'S THIS ?!
FISH!
I FOUND YOUR POSTING ON THE BATHROOM WALL. I'M CONFIDENT ABOUT MY SIZE.
BEEP
THESE ARE...
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP

LET'S WRITE "SEND ME A MESSAGE."
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I GUESS THAT'S ENOUGH. MOMO-CHAN MUST BE RECEIVING A LOT OF MESSAGES.
WHO CARES. THAT'S WHAT SHE WANTS.
SOMEBODY EXPOSED MY E-MAIL ADDRESS ?!
BEEP
BEEP
SHE'LL CHANGE HER ADDRESS ANYWAY.
IT'S NOT SUCH A BIG DEAL.
BY THE WAY, HAVE YOU HEARD ANYTHING FROM NANASE SINCE THEN?
WHAT? WHY NANASE ?
NOT REALLY.
DOES SHE SEND YOU MESSA-GES?
I SEE.
THEY WERE IN SUCH TROUBLE WHILE I WAS AWAY.
WELL, THEY SEEM TO HAVE ALREADY OVERCOME THE PROBLEM THOUGH.

BY THE WAY, I TOTALLY FORGOT ABOUT MOMOSE...
ALSO, WHILE I WAS SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL, CHIBA AND MATSUI FINALLY...
WHAT WAS THAT?
IT'S OK. JUST DON'T FORGET TO PRACTICE!
WHAT...
I TOTALLY FORGOT ABOUT IT!!
COME BACK CHIBACCHI!!
ARE YOU ALRIGHT ?
WHOA! I FORGOT TO ASK ABOUT THE DETAILS!
ぐあ!!
I JUST WANTED TO ASK YOU SOME-THING.
MOMOSE ! WHY ARE YOU HERE ?
YOU SEEM CRAZY SCREAMING AND TALKING BY YOURSELF.
.....
ABE...

THOSE GIRLS ...
I MEAN, DID YOU GIVE MY E-MAIL ADDRESS TO ASAI-SAN?
WHAT?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
THEY NEVER ASKED ME, AND I NEVER GAVE IT TO THEM.
I THOUGHT THEY FOUND OUT ABOUT WHAT I DID AND TRIED TO GET REVENGE ON ME...
I SEE...
BUT, THEY DON'T REALLY CARE ABOUT ME ANYWAY...
WHY DID YOU COME TO ASK ME THAT?
TURN
NOTHING, BYE.
GRAB
WAIT A SEC!

DID YOU DO SOMETHING TO ASAI?
...WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
ASAI'S WEBSITE GOT TROLLED BY SOMEONE.
DID YOU DO THAT ?!
I DON'T KNOW!
THEN WHY?
DO YOU HAVE ANY PROOF THAT I DID?
YOU'RE HURTING ME!
LET ME GO!
AH...
STOP ACCUSING ME!
IT'S ANNOYING!
MOMOSE!
RUN

IF YOU DO ANYTHING TO ASAI,
I WON'T FORGIVE YOU.
EVEN IF IT'S YOU.
YOU'RE SO DUMB.
SAY WHATEVER YOU LIKE.
WHAT WAS THAT?! SO STUPID! WAS HE PRETENDING TO BE HER BOYFRIEND OR SOMETHING ?!
SHE DOESN'T CARE ABOUT HIM!
HE WON'T FORGIVE ME?!
WHO DOES HE THINK HE IS!

I'M CONSTANTLY RECEIVING DISGUSTING MESSAGES FROM STRANGERS...

I'M AFRAID BECAUSE I DON'T KNOW WHO EXPOSED MY E-MAIL ADDRESS...

I CAN'T RELY ON ANYONE. I CAN'T TRUST ANYONE. I FEEL LONELY...

I WANTED HIM TO LOVE ME WITH ALL SERIOUSNESS.
LIKE THE TIME WHEN HE PROTECTED ME FROM THE WIND...
IN THE WAY. WHICH HE PROTECTS ASAI-SAN...
SNIFF...
SNIFF...
I KNOW SUCH THING WON'T HAPPEN.
186 NEW MESSAGES
THIS IS A PROPER RETURN FOR WHAT I'VE DONE....
EVEN IF I KISS HIM OR WHATEVER, HE WON'T LOVE ME BACK BECAUSE I HAVE SUCH BAD CHARACTER...
I'M SUCH AN IDIOT!
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WAAAHHH
I DID EXACTLY THE SAME THING.

IN COMING CALL
FUJI-KUN
!!
RING TONE
I DID SUCH AN AWFUL THING...
HELLO?
E-EXCUSE ME, I-IT'S FUJI.
I JUST WANTED TO MAKE SURE ABOUT TOMORROW. I SENT YOU SOME MESSAGES, BUT DIDN'T KNOW IF YOU RECEIVED THEM.
FUJI-KUN...?
TELL ME...
HOW CAN I REMOVE COMMENTS FROM O-CHAN?
WHAT ?

INTERNET CAFE
THANK YOU FOR COMING.
NO PROB-LEM.
472: NAME ANONYMO
IT'S SO GROSS!
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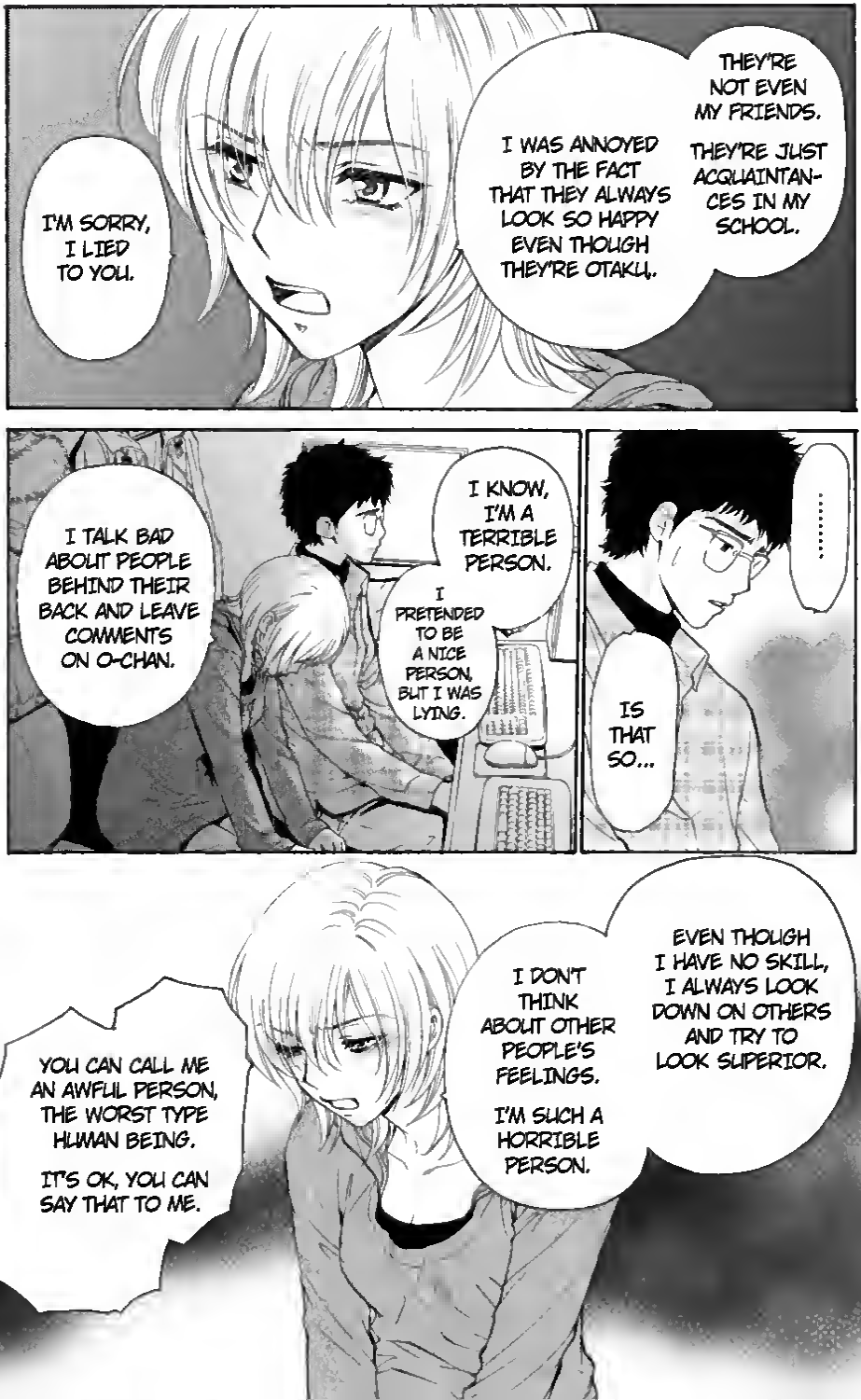
473: NAME ANONYMOUS VISITOR
THIS ONE?
ALSO, THE NUMBER 472.
AH,
O-CHANNEL
EXPOSE BAD WEBSITE
IS THIS THE COMMENT ?
ANONYMOUS VISITOR
YEAH.
LET'S EXPOSE YOUR LEAST FAVORITE WEBSITE!
CAN WE DELETE THEM?
OK, LET'S TRY TO SEND THEM A REMOVAL REQUEST.
I'M NOT SURE.
HMMM...
CLICK CLICK

IT'S SO EASY TO LEAVE COMMENTS THOUGH.
OH NO...
IT MIGHT BE DIFFICULT TO REMOVE THESE SIMPLE ONES.
UNLESS YOU CAN SPECIFY INDIVIDUALS, OR SOMEBODY REPORTS IT TO THE POLICE, THEY DON'T SEEM TO DELETE COMMENTS.
TYPE
TYPE
TYPE
Y-YEAH...
IS THIS YOUR FRIEND'S WEBSITE WHICH YOU WERE TALKING ABOUT?
EVEN AS A JOKE, COMMENTING, "I'LL KILL YOU" CAN BE CONSIDERED TO BE A MURDER NOTICE.
IT MAY MEAN THAT YOU HAVE TO BE CAREFUL WHEN YOU LEAVE COMMENTS BECAUSE YOU CAN'T REMOVE THEM.
I WROTE THOSE COMMENTS.
I EXPOSED THEM.
...WHAT?
I DID IT.
IF THEY DON'T LIKE CERTAIN THINGS, THEY SHOULD JUST IGNORE THEM.
THERE ARE SUCH AWFUL PEOPLE WHO TRY TO "EXPOSE."


I'M SORRY, I LIED TO YOU.
I WAS ANNOYED BY THE FACT THAT THEY ALWAYS LOOK SO HAPPY EVEN THOUGH THEY'RE OTAKU.
THEY'RE NOT EVEN MY FRIENDS.
THEY'RE JUST ACQUAINTANCES IN MY SCHOOL.
I TALK BAD ABOUT PEOPLE BEHIND THEIR BACK AND LEAVE COMMENTS ON O-CHAN.
I KNOW, I'M A TERRIBLE PERSON.
I PRETENDED TO BE A NICE PERSON, BUT I WAS LYING.
.....
IS THAT SO...
YOU CAN CALL ME AN AWFUL PERSON, THE WORST TYPE HUMAN BEING.
IT'S OK, YOU CAN SAY THAT TO ME.
I DON'T THINK ABOUT OTHER PEOPLE'S FEELINGS.
I'M SUCH A HORRIBLE PERSON.
EVEN THOUGH I HAVE NO SKILL, I ALWAYS LOOK DOWN ON OTHERS AND TRY TO LOOK SUPERIOR.

YOU'RE SUFFERING.
YOU'RE CRYING BECAUSE YOU REGRET WHAT YOU DID.
HOW CAN I DO THAT?
YOU MAY REALIZE THAT YOU DID WRONG THINGS, BUT YOU WOULDN'T REGRET THEM.
IF YOU REALLY WERE A BAD PERSON, YOU WOULDN'T SUFFER.
THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT WHEN YOU REALIZE YOUR MISTAKES, YOU ADMIT THEM AND TRY TO CORRECT YOURSELF, SO THAT YOU WON'T MAKE THE SAME MISTAKES AGAIN.
EVERYBODY MAKES MISTAKES.
WE'RE STILL YOUNG AND UNAWARE OF MANY THINGS.

THANK YOU.
SORRY, I DIDN'T MEAN TO SOUND LIKE A PREACHER.
I'M NOT RELATED TO ANY WEIRD RELIGION ANYWAY.
IT'S OK.
ONCE IT FALLS INTO DAT, IT'LL BE LESS VISIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.
?
ANYWAY, LET'S FILL UP THIS COMMENT THREAD.
? ?
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HEART THUMP
THIS IS ALSO A KIND OF TROLL ACT,
SO, LET'S KEEP IT SECRET.
WE'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO DO THIS.
SECRET !
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AT LEAST, HE CAME OUT FOR ME...
I WAS REALLY DESPERATE.
NO WAY, YOU WERE VERY HELPFUL.
I'M SORRY, I WASN'T THAT HELPFUL.
THANK YOU, FUJI-KUN, FOR HELPING ME UNTIL THIS LATE.
NO PROB-LEM.

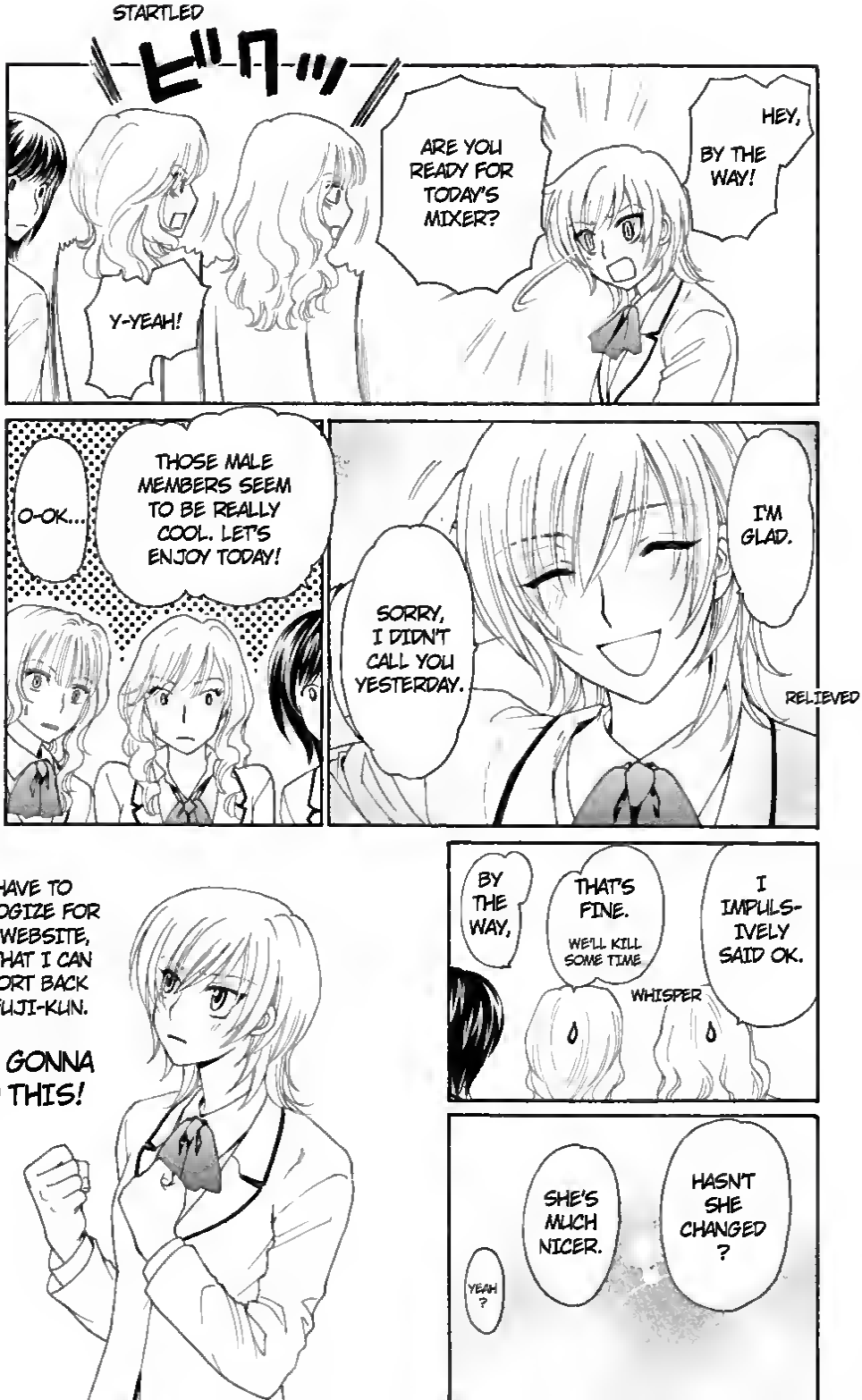
WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO ?
IF POSSIBLE, IT'S BETTER FOR YOU TO DO IT...
WHAT !?
IT'S WEIRD FOR ME TO SAY THIS, BUT IT'S UP TO YOU, NANASE-SAN.

YOU SHOULD APOLOGIZE THEM.
CHAPTER 48. END

EVEN THOUGH I KNEW THAT I WAS WRONG,
I'VE ALWAYS AVOIDED APOLOGIZING BY TELLING EXCUSES AND LIES.
HOW CAN I MAKE AN APOLOGY ...?
CHAPTER 49. TIME FOR MIRACLES

1-F
HEY, WHAT SHOULD WE DO ABOUT THE MIXER TODAY?
IS MOMO-TSUN COMING TODAY?
SHE HASN'T RESPOND TO MY MESSAGE YET.
TO MINE EIT-HER.
REALLY?!
IS SHE IGNORING US?!
SHE SEEMS TO BE MAKING FUN OF US.
THAT CAN'T BE TRUE.
SHE WAS FEELING SO BAD THAT SHE COULDN'T COME TO SCHOOL YESTERDAY.
SHE MUST HAVE BEEN SLEEPING AND DIDN'T NOTICE YOUR MESSAGES.
SHE EVEN WENT TO THE BOY'S SCHOOL TO FIND MALE MEMBERS FOR THE MIXER, DIDN'T SHE?
HMMM...
BUT THAT CAUSED THE AWFUL RUMOR TO SPREAD AROUND.
POOR MOMOTSUN.
WHAT'S UP WITH YOU? YOU SEEM LIKE SUCH A GOOD GIRL.
NO, I MEAN,
WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE HER FRIENDS.
AH.

GOOD MORN-ING.
AH, YEAH.
GOOD MORNING. ARE YOU FEELING OK?
RUN
AAH
OOPS
WE WERE WORRIED ABOUT YOU. YOU HAVEN'T RESPONDED TO OUR MESSAGES.
OH, SORRY.
MY MAIL BOX IS KIND OF MESSY NOW.
CHECK IT OUT.
WHOA, WHAT HAPPENED ?!
NO CLUE.
I GUESS SOMEONE REGISTERED DATING WEBSITES WITH MY E-MAIL ADDRESS.
WHAT?
COULD IT BE...
NO, NO.
I DON'T KNOW WHO DID IT.
EVEN IF NORI DID THAT TO ME, ORIGINALLY I WAS THE ONE WHO WAS HAVING A BAD ATTITUDE TOWARDS HER...
I HAVE SO MANY PEOPLE I NEED TO APOLOGIZE TO...
ARE YOU ALRIGHT, MOMO-TSUN?


STARTLED
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HEY, BY THE WAY!
ARE YOU READY FOR TODAY'S MIXER?
Y-YEAH!
THOSE MALE MEMBERS SEEM TO BE REALLY COOL. LET'S ENJOY TODAY!
O-OK...
I'M GLAD.
SORRY, I DIDN'T CALL YOU YESTERDAY.
RELIEVED
BY THE WAY,
THAT'S FINE.
WE'LL KILL SOME TIME
I IMPULSIVELY SAID OK.
WHISPER
I HAVE TO APOLOGIZE FOR THE WEBSITE, SO THAT I CAN REPORT BACK TO FUJI-KUN.
I'M GONNA DO THIS!
HASN'T SHE CHANGED?
SHE'S MUCH NICER.
YEAH?

WE ALL AVOIDED FAILING FINALS!
YAYY!
I'M REALLY GLAD.
THAT WAS CLOSE THOUGH.
ME TOO.
I'M SCARED TO SHOW MY RESULTS TO MY PARENTS.
YOU'VE BEEN SAYING THAT SINCE JUNIOR HIGH
I'M GLAD WE WON'T HAVE TO TAKE ANY EXTRA LECTURES.
HOW'S YOUR BOOK COMING?
YEAH, I'VE ALREADY STARTED INKING IT. HOW ABOUT YOU?
ME TOO, I'M ALMOST THERE.
WOW, THAT'S GREAT!
THEN, WHEN CAN WE START ASSISTING YOU?
EXCITED
YOU'RE SO OPTIMISTIC
LET'S SEE.... HOW LONG DO I NEED BEFORE I ASK YOU FOR HELP?
SIXTEEN PAGES RIGHT?
IF WE HAVE THREE PEOPLE WORKING TO FINALIZE THEM, TWO DAYS WILL BE MORE THAN ENOUGH.
IS THAT SO?
COMIBA IS ON THE 29TH, SO WE CAN PRINT AND BIND BOOKS ON THE 28TH. THAT MEANS WE SHOULD START FINALIZING ON THE 26TH?
THAT'S ABOUT RIGHT.

~DING DONG~
WE'LL BE STARTING THE SECOND SEMESTER CLOSING CEREMONY SOON. EACH CLASS SHOULD FORM LINES IN ORDER AND COME TO THE AUDITORIUM.
AH!
SEE YOU LATER THEN.
OK
I'LL DO MY BEST TO FINISH MY PART BY THEN.
AWW... THERE'S NO CHRIST-MAS CELEBRA-TION AS SHE SAID BEFORE...
I CAN STAY WITH HER FOR ONLY TWO DAYS...
WHAT'S THAT MEAN ?
SHE ASKED ME IF I GAVE HER E-MAIL ADDRESS TO ASAI.
WEIRD HUH ?
RIGHT AFTER SPLIT UP.
WHAT? WHEN?
BY THE WAY, MOMOSE CAME TO SEE ME YESTER-DAY.
REALLY? WHAT DID SHE SAY?
OH
AH
THEN, SHE GOT OFFENDED AND SAID "WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?" "WHERE'S THE EVIDENCE!"
I THOUGHT SO TOO. THAT'S WHY I ASKED HER IF SHE TROLLED ASAI'S WEBSITE.
SHE SOUNDS VERY SUSPICIOUS.
THAT SOUNDS EVEN MORE DOUBT-FUL...

CONGRATULATION! TSUKAMOTO HIDEMI-KUN!
BEFORE WE START CLOSING CEREMONY,
WE'LL HAVE A FAREWELL CEREMONY FOR TSUKAMOTO HIDEMI-KUN.
HE HAS BEEN SELECTED AS AN OLYMPIC TRAINING ATHLETE FOR JAPANESE MEN'S JUDO.
THIS IS THE FIRST HONOR SINCE THE SCHOOL'S ESTABLI-SHMENT,
HIDE-MI-CHAN...
ASAI-SAN, YOU'RE FRIEND WITH HIM, AREN'T YOU?
YEAH! HE'S GREAT!
HE'LL BE JOINING THE EUROPEAN TOUR ONCE NEW YEAR, BEGINS...
WOW, HE'S GOING ABROAD.
UNFORTU-NATELY, HE WON'T BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE GRADUATION CEREMONY.
TSUKAMOTO HIDEMI-KUN, PLEASE GIVE US A SPEECH.
HE'S LIVING IN A DIFFERENT WORLD NOW.
HANDCLAPS
WE'LL LOOK FORWARD TO HIS SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE.
HE'S SO TALENTED UNLIKE US.
HANDCLAPS

I LOVE JUDO.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR HAVING SUCH A GREAT CEREMONY FOR ME TODAY.
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BOW
SHIMATANI, I'LL BEAT YOU UP, IF YOU DON'T SHUT UP!
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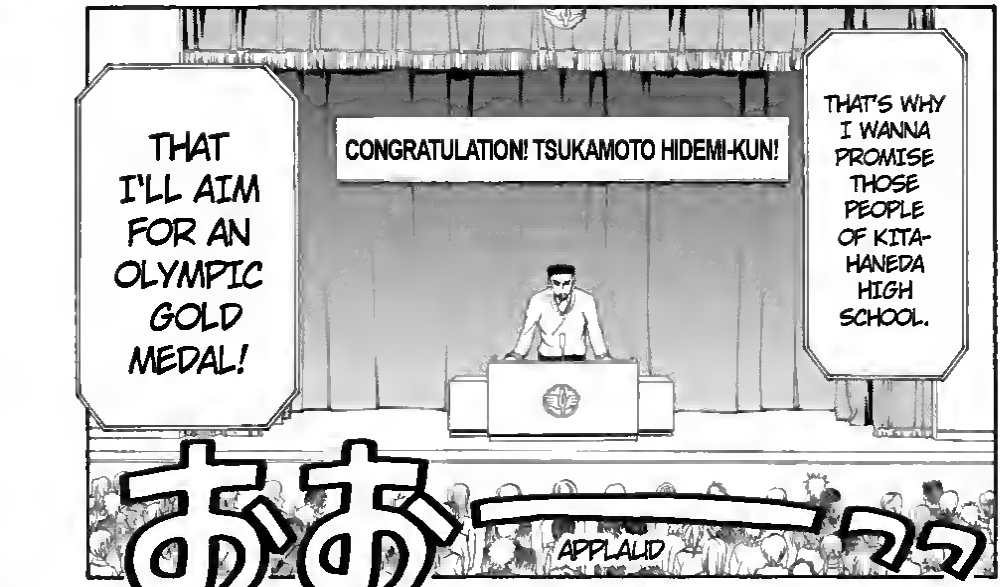
HA-HA-HA
LOL
NO WAY!
DESPITE OF MY APPEARANCE, I'M A VERY SENSITIVE PERSON.
BE QUIET!
LOL
WE KNOW!
SOMETIMES, WHEN I CONFRONTED DIFFICULTIES, I FELT MY LIMITATIONS. IT MADE ME WANT TO QUIT JUDO.
YEAH, HE'S REALLY FUNNY, GENTLE AND CUTE!
HE'S UNEXPECTEDLY A FUNNY PERSON.
CUTE ?!

BECAUSE OF YOUR SUPPORT, I'M HERE NOW.
MY INSTRUCTOR, TEACHER, FAMILY, AND FRIENDS.
YES YES
BUT WHENEVER I STRUGGLED, I ALWAYS HAD PEOPLE'S SUPPORT.


THAT I'LL AIM FOR AN OLYMPIC GOLD MEDAL!
CONGRATULATION! TSUKAMOTO HIDEMI-KUN!
THAT'S WHY I WANNA PROMISE THOSE PEOPLE OF KITA-HANEDA HIGH SCHOOL.
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APPLAUD

IT'S HIGHLY COMPETITIVE AND VERY DIFFICULT TO BE SELECTED AS A PLAYER, BUT I'LL DO MY BEST!
THAT'S GREAT !!

THAT'S WHY, PEOPLE WHO ARE GOING TO COLLEGE,
OR WORKING HARD FOR YOUR CLUB ACTIVITY OR YOUR DREAM,
OR FINDING EMPLOY-MENT,
I WANT YOU TO BELIEVE IN YOUR POSSIBILITY AND DO YOUR BEST.

AND, IF YOU'RE STILL LOOKING FOR YOUR INTEREST,
I HOPE YOU'LL FIND SOMETHING THAT YOU LOVE
AND CAN DEVOTE YOUR-SELF TO.

I DON'T WANT YOU TO MAKE FUN OF THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE DOING THEIR BEST.
AND EVEN IF YOU CAN'T UNDERSTAND,
BOW
ペコ
THANK YOU FOR LISTENING TO MY SPEECH.
OSU!
DO YOU UNDERSTAND SHIMATANI ?
LOL
I WASN'T DOING IT!
ワアアアア
APPLAUD
TSUKA-MOTO-SAN~!
YOU'RE SO COOL!
GOOD JOB, TSUKA-CHAN~!

~TSUKAMOTO~
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つかもと
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つかもと
つかもと
WE'LL CONTINUE TO HAVE A CLOSING CEREMONY.
TSUKAMOTO SENPAI~!
~TSUKAMOTO~
~TSUKAMOTO~
つかもと
つかもと
THAT WAS SO INSPI-RING!
I WAS MOVED !
HIDEMI-CHAN, YOU WERE SO COOL!
I'LL DO MY BEST!
HA HA
THANK YOU.
HEY, YOU GUYS.
AH, HIS PRINCESS.
SHE'S MISS FRESHMAN YEAR.
SD MEMORY CARD?
HIDEMI-CHAN, TAKE THIS WITH YOU.
PICK UP
RUSTLE

ANYWAY, TAKE CARE.
BE CAREFUL WITH ECONOMY-CLASS SYNDROME.
CHIBA
WHAT KIND OF PHOTOS DID SHE GIVE HIM?
WHAT THE HECK ?!
MATTSUN YOU'RE SO GENER-OUS.
THANK YOU.
YOU NEED SOME ENTERTAINMENT DURING YOUR TRIP.
THERE ARE BOY'S LOVE NOVELS AND MANGA ON HERE. PLUS, SOME OF SHUNSUKE'S SECRET SHOTS.
UGH
IF I WIN A GOLD MEDAL.
WILL YOU BE PROUD OF ME?

WHAT...
TSUKAMOTO-SAN, I'M REALLY PROUD OF YOU.
YOU'RE LIKE MY DREAM!
ONE DAY, I WANNA BE A GUY LIKE YOU!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING...
I'M ALREADY...
YOU'RE SUCH A GREAT PERSON ...
I RESPECT YOU A LOT...

I SEE.
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PAT
I'M GLAD.
MOVED...
THANK YOU, CHIBA.
HEY, SHUNSUKE! GET CLOSER!
GOOD FOR YOU, TSUKA-CHAN.
HUH?
Y-YEAH
SORRY
IT'S OK.
SHUT UP
A PHOTO WITH CHIBA-KUN. JUST TWO OF YOU. IT'LL BE YOUR LUCKY ITEM.
THAT'S A GREAT IDEA!
SENPAI, LET'S TAKE A PICTURE.
WHAT ?

STIFF
STIFF
WHAT? SHE WANT ME TO KISS HIS CHEEK?
HERE YOU GO.
SENPAI, GET DOWN A LITTLE!
YES,
HUH ?
I CAN'T REACH HIM...
SMILE~
!!
カシャッ
SNAP
E-MAIL
SAVE
MENU

BACK UP
SHRIEK!
WAAHHH
GOOD FOR YOU, TSUKA-CHAN.
SORRY!
STARTLED
I'M REALLY SORRY!
I DIDN'T KNOW YOUR FACE WAS SO CLOSE.
GASP
DON'T WORRY, IT CAN HAPPEN ONCE IN A MILLION TIMES...
LOOK
SHE DOESN'T CARE...
OK
OK

SENPAI, I GOT IT!
I TOOK THE PHOTO!
THANKS
GOOD JOB
GASP
TEARING...
YOU CRY NOW ?!
SHUT UP...
HIDEMI-CHAN~!
WHAT!?
SENPAI!
IT'S THE FIRST TIME EVER I'VE SEEN HIM CRYING.
I'M GONNA TAKE A PHOTO
TSUKAMOTO HIDEMI, EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD. IT WAS ACTUALLY HIS FIRST KISS...

IT'S THE FIRST TIME EVER I'VE SEEN CHIBACCHI CRYING...

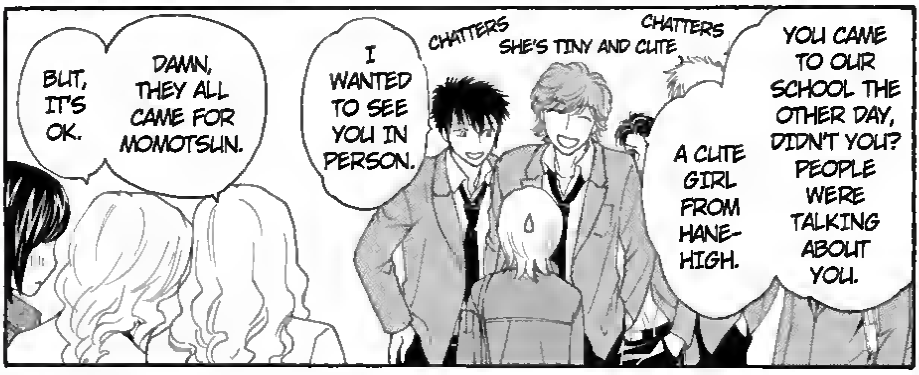
I'M GLAD FOR TSUKAMOTO-SAN BECAUSE HIS SERIOUS FEELINGS ARE TOTALLY UNDERSTOOD BY CHIBACCHI.

I USED TO BE DISGUSTED BY "BOY'S LOVE," BUT NOW I CAN UNDERSTAND.

WHEN PEOPLE ARE IN LOVE, GENDER DOESN'T REALLY MATTER...
HUH ?
MAYBE, I'M GETTING INFLUENCED TOO MUCH BY ASAI.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ?
TSUKAMOTO-SAN, IF YOU WIN A GOLD MEDAL, CHIBACCHI WILL STAY WITH YOU FOR A NIGHT.
OUCH
KICK
ドガッ
DIE!
HMM

I COULDN'T APOLOGIZE TO ASAI-SAN IN THE END...
HEY, AREN'T WE LATE?!
DAMN, MIKI, YOU TOOK TOO LONG FOR YOUR MAKEUP.
YOU TOO, MEGU.
I DIDN'T HAVE A CHANCE BECAUSE SHE WASN'T IN HER CLASSROOM.
MOMO-TSUN !?
HEY
AH, AREN'T THOSE GUYS ?
WOW, ARE THEY REALLY ?!
AH, MOMOSE-SAN.
HELLO.
HI!
HELLO
FUJI-KUN!
SHRIEK!

HMM
ENERGE
ARE YOU THE FAMOUS MOMOSE-SAN?
I'M KURIBAYASHI.
HUGE!
HUH ?
YOU HAVE ONE EXTRA MEMBER ?
I'M SO GLAD WE CAME!
WHAT'S GOING ON?!
THEY'RE ALL HANDSOME!
WHISPER


BUT, IT'S OK.
DAMN, THEY ALL CAME FOR MOMOTSUN.
I WANTED TO SEE YOU IN PERSON.
CHATTERS
SHE'S TINY AND CUTE
CHATTERS
A CUTE GIRL FROM HANE-HIGH.
YOU CAME TO OUR SCHOOL THE OTHER DAY, DIDN'T YOU? PEOPLE WERE TALKING ABOUT YOU.

HUH ?
WHY IS FUJI-KUN LEAVING ?
HUH ?
HE'S NOT SUPPOSED TO JOIN US, IS HE?
Cafe
OK!
WHAT ?
SEE YOU.
...WELL,
I'M GONNA LEAVE THEN.
BOW

HE SAID HE'S ONLY "A MEDIATOR."
WHAT...
SORRY... I HAVE TO GO!
WHAT ?
MOMOTSUN, WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
TURN
CALL NORI.
I'M SO SORRY !
WHAT HAPPE-NED ?!
WHAT? SHE LEFT ?
DAMN
SORRY, I'M CALLING ONE MORE GIRL NOW. SHE HAS BIG BOOBS.
FUJI-KUN.
WHAT ?
WHAT IS IT ?
DON'T YOU KNOW WHAT?!
PANTING

I WANTED YOU TO JOIN THE MIXER, THAT'S WHY I ASKED YOU!
WHY DIDN'T YOU COUNT YOURSELF IN?!
WHAT ?
THAT WAS JUST AN EXAMPLE.
S-SORRY.
I DIDN'T THINK I WAS.
AHH, DAMN,
AH, WELL... BECAUSE YOU SAID YOU WANTED SOMEONE NATURALLY COOL.
TAKE ME TO COMIBA!
AS A PUNISH-MENT.
WHAT ?
CHAPTER 49. END

THERE ARE ONLY FOUR DAYS LEFT UNTIL COMIBA.
IT'S THE 25TH OF DECEMBER, BUT I DON'T CARE ABOUT CHRISTMAS!
MOM~ MY FRIENDS ARE VISITING TOMORROW. CAN I USE THE GUEST ROOM?
SURE... BUT, HAVE YOU FINISHED PACKING FOR THE TRIP TO AKITA?
WHAT? WHEN ARE WE LEAVING?
A DAY AFTER TOMORROW. I TOLD YOU ALREADY.
WHAT~?!! I CAN'T!! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE !!!
CHAPTER 50. FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT
THERE'S AN EVENT THAT I CAN'T MISS!
NO MATTER WHAT!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!?

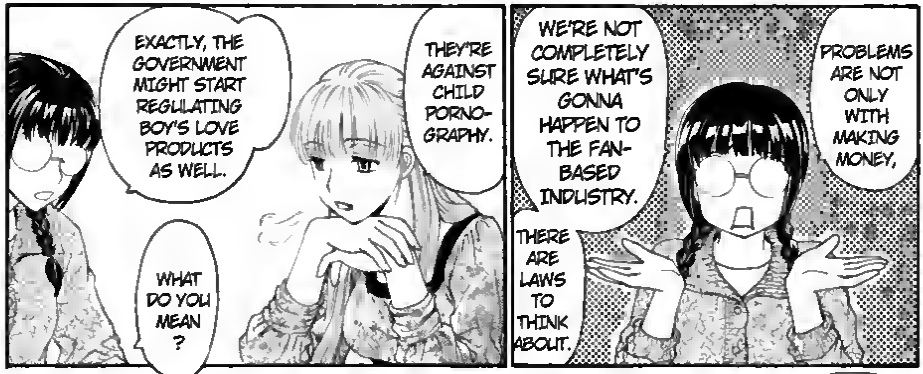
ANYWAY, THREE DAYS BEFORE THE EVENT.
THE GAME HAS BEGUN!
I DIDN'T KNOW THAT WE WERE DOING MEN-TSUKE AS WELL.
HOW MANY PAGES HAVE YOU DONE WITH INK?
TEN PAGES.
ARE WE COPYING THE COVER AS WELL?
NO, WE ORDERED A PRINTING COMPANY TO DO THAT, ONLY FOR THE COVER.
IT SHOULD ARRIVE TODAY.
YEAH
THAT'S TYPICAL FOR DOUBLE PAGED COPY-BOOKS.
WHAT'S "MEN-TSUKE"?
ISN'T IT TSUKE-MEN?
GOO-GLE IT.
I GOOGLED IT...
WELL...
WHEN BINDING BOOKS, EACH PAGE APPEARS IN ORDER AT FOLDING UNITS..
WHAT'S A FOLDING UNIT?
THESE ARE THE TEMPLATES.
ABE-KUN, CAN I ASK YOU TO PASTE NUMBER 52 ON THOSE CHARACTERS' CLOTHES?
SURE.
THANKS GUYS, I'LL BE RIGHT BACK.
RUMI~ TEA IS READY~
I'M COMING~
SURE.
OK.
CHIBA-KUN, ABOUT THE BACKGROUND ON THIS PAGE...
OK, IS IT KAZOO'S ROOM?
CAN YOU MAKE IT LOOK LIKE THESE?
SURE, NO PROB-LEM.
AWESOME!

SMILE
WHAT SHOULD I COOK FOR THEM?
I'M EXCITED.
YEAH.
ARE THEY STAYING UNTIL DINNER?
CHIBA-KUN IS VERY HANDSOME.
ABE-KUN LOOKS CUTE TOO.
THEY'RE JUST CLUB MEMBERS!
WELL, WELL, I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD MALE FRIENDS.
ウキ
EXCITED
STOP IT!
BOW
THANK YOU, AND SORRY FOR BOTHERING YOU.
I APPRECIATE YOU PREPARING DINNER FOR US.
I GUESS, MEAT IS GOOD FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.
MOM.
HUH?
WELL THEN, PLEASE DON'T DISTURB US.
ASAI, HOW DO YOU LIKE THIS BACKGROUND?

ASAI, I'M DONE TOO.
WHOA
IT HAS NICE PERSPECTIVE! LOOKS AWESOME!
YOU CAN START DRAWING WITH INK NOW.
GOTCHA.
WOW, YOU'RE UNEXPECTEDLY QUICK.
LET ME SEE...
THIS IS GREAT! YOU PASTED IT PERFECTLY! YOU EVEN SHAVED OFF SMALL EXTRA PIECES TO AVOID PEEKING OFF. I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU'RE ONLY A BEGINNER!
YEAH?
AM I GENIUS?
THAT'S BECAUSE I TRAINED HIM WELL.
I'M GLAD YOU CAN BE USEFUL, ABE. I'VE CHANGED MY OUTLOOK ON YOU.
HE'S NOT JUST USEFUL, HE'S AMAZING!
SHUT UP.

YEAH, I FEEL CONFIDENT ABOUT FINISHING IT IN TIME.
HAVING ASSISTANT IS REALLY ENCOURAGING.
BEING A PROFESSIONAL MUST FEEL LIKE THIS.
SO, YOU'RE REALLY TRYING TO BECOME A PROFESSIONAL ?
WELL... IT'S A KIND OF MY DREAM...
I WISH I COULD LIVE MY LIFE JUST BY MAKING COMIC BOOKS.
BUT I'M NOT GOOD ENOUGH YET.
I GUESS THAT'S POSSI-BLE.
WITH THE QUALITY OF YOUR WORK, YOU'LL SOON BE ABLE TO MAKE MONEY THROUGH FAN BASED BOOKS.
EVEN IF YOU DON'T BECOME A PRO, YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO MAKE A LIVING BY PRODUCING COMIC BOOKS.

WHAATTT?!
ヒィィィィ!?
SERIOUSLY, HOW MUCH MONEY IS YOUR SISTER MAKING?
WHAT ?
SHE SAID SHE MAKES XXXX PER YEAR.
WHAT?! THOSE PEOPLE MAKE THAT MUCH MONEY THROUGH FAN BASED BOOKS?!
THAT'S A RARE CASE OF TOP LEVEL ARTISTS! DON'T TALK LIKE THAT'S A NORMAL THING TO HAPPEN!
WE STILL GO IN THE RED EVEN IF WE SELL OUT!


PROBLEMS ARE NOT ONLY WITH MAKING MONEY,
WE'RE NOT COMPLETELY SURE WHAT'S GONNA HAPPEN TO THE FAN-BASED INDUSTRY.
THERE ARE LAWS TO THINK ABOUT.
THEY'RE AGAINST CHILD PORNO-GRAPHY.
EXACTLY, THE GOVERNMENT MIGHT START REGULATING BOY'S LOVE PRODUCTS AS WELL.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ?

THEY'RE THINKING ABOUT NOT ONLY DREAMS BUT ALSO LAWS?
THEY WANT TO CONTROL DIRTY COMIC BOOKS TO PROTECT UNDERAGE KIDS.
THEY ARE TRYING TO ESTABLISH SUCH WEIRD LAWS.
ARE THEY SERIOUSLY THINKING THAT PEOPLE WOULD TRY TO RAPE JUVENILES JUST BECAUSE THEY READ BOY'S LOVE MANGA?
THAT'S RIDICULOUS !
クロス!

DISCUSSING LIKE MORNING NEWS.
YOU'RE RIGHT.
EVERYTHING IS RELATED TO RIGHTS AND INTERESTS
THEY SIMPLY CONSIDER "PROTECTING CHILDREN" AS "GOOD THING."
POLITICIANS ARE JUST TRYING TO EARN SOME VOTES FROM CONSERVATIVES BECAUSE THEY DON'T LIKE OTAKU CULTURE.
THEY'RE JUST TAKING AN OFFICIAL STANCE.
THANK YOU, GUYS!
I'LL DO MY BEST!
LET'S WORK!
LET'S WORK!
YOU'RE SO CALM CHIBA-CCHI.
ASAI, I FINISHED.
WOW, QUICK!
IF YOU KEEP TALKING WITHOUT MOVING YOUR HANDS. WE WON'T BE ABLE TO FINISH THE WORK
EEEK!
THANK YOU FOR DINNER.
IT WAS DELICIOUS.
GLAD YOU LIKED IT.
SEE YOU GUYS TOMORROW THEN.
OK

IT'S CHILLY
ナむ。
YOU HAVE SUCH GOOD FRIENDS.
YEAH.
HAVING ASSISTANTS IS VERY HELPFUL, BUT I COULDN'T WORK ON MY PART BECAUSE I WAS SO BUSY GIVING SUGGESTIONS TO THEM...
SIGH
ALRIGHT!
LET'S DO THIS!

I'LL WALK MATSUI HOME.
OK.
JUST GO HOME, OK?
YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO DO THIS.
SILLY GIRL.
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SQUEEZE
IT'S DANGEROUS FOR YOU TO WALK ALONE AT NIGHT.
T-THIS IS... WHAT A BOYFRIEND DOES!
H-HEY,
HUH?
WHAT MADE YOU WANNA HELP US?
...WELL

WHOA
DON'T MAKE ME SAY THAT. YOU'RE EMBARRASSING ME.
WAAAHHH
THAT'S OBVIOUSLY BECAUSE I WANNA STAY WITH YOU AS LONG AS POSSIBLE.
I THOUGHT ASAI COULD START LIKING HIM IF HE BECOMES USEFUL FOR HER.
I WAS ACTUALLY TRYING TO HELP ABECCHI AS WELL.
I GUESS ...
IF I WERE RUMI, I WOULD FALL IN LOVE WITH SHUNSUKE INSTEAD.
YOU'RE MUCH MORE HELPFUL THAN ABE.
TRUE.
I'M SO HAPPY. SAY THAT AGAIN ♡
NO.
YOU'RE SO TSUNDERE.

MORNING OF 27TH.
TWO DAYS BEFORE COMIBA.
BIRD CHIRPING
RUMI~
ARE YOU AWAKE?
SLIDE OPEN
GOOD MORNING. I'M AWAKE, MOM.
OH MY GOODNESS, HAVE YOU BEEN UP ALL NIGHT?
YEAH.
WE'RE LEAVING NOW.
ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE OK BY YOURSELF?
NO PROBLEM.
MATTSUN WILL STAY OVER WITH ME ANYWAY.
DON'T FORGET TO LOCK THE DOOR, AND BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE IN THE KITCHEN.
SURE, I KNOW.
DON'T MAKE ANY MISTAKES, OK?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I'LL TAKE THE BULLET TRAIN ON THE 30TH.
SAY HELLO TO GRANDMA FOR ME.

THE SECOND DAY OF CRUNCH TIME.
WHOA, IT'S AMAZING!
TEN PAGES ARE DONE!
SHE SEEMS TO BE SO GROWN UP ALL OF A SUDDEN.
NO, SHE'S STILL A CHILD. I WAS WONDERING WHAT SHE'S BEEN WORKING SO HARD FOR, BUT SHE WAS JUST MAKING MANGA.
YEAH? I'D LIKE TO SEE IT.
SHE DOESN'T SHOW ME, NO MATTER WHAT.
AFTER WE LEFT, YOU FINISHED TEN PAGES AND WORKED INKED TWO MORE?
YOU'RE INCREDIBLE.
RUMI, YOU'VE BEEN UP ALL NIGHT, HAVEN'T YOU? ARE YOU OK?
はは HA HA I'M FINE.
I FELL ASLEEP IN THE BATHTUB THOUGH.
IT WAS EASY BECAUSE THOSE PAGES HAD THE BASIC TONES PASTED ALREADY.
HOWEVER, ONLY GOT TO INK IN TWO PAGES.
LET'S START WITH MEN-TSUKE FOR THOSE FINISHED PAGES AND COPY THEM.
YEAH.
ABECCHI, CAN YOU HELP WITH THESE?
SURE.

GASP
I ALMOST FELL ASLEEP!!
ASAI, ARE YOU OK?
UNSTEADY...
PUT THIS ON THE BASE IN ORDER.
OK.
DAMN, SLEEPINESS! I'LL SHOW YOU!
HEY, SHE'S GONE CRAZY!
SHE'S STILL FINE.
FOCUSED
YEAH.
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AH, I'M LEFT ALONE WITH ASAI NOW...
HEART THUMP
ゴキン
KEEP YOUR EYES ON RUMI.
IF SHE REALLY NEEDS TO, JUST LET HER SLEEP.
OK.
WE'LL GO PICK UP THE COPIES THEN.

BUT THIS IS NOT THE TIME FOR ME TO HAVE ANY EXPECT-ATIONS...
DRAWING
DRAWING
I ENVY HER...
FOR HAVING SOMETHING THAT SHE CAN DEVOTE HERSELF TO.
I RESPECT HER...
CAN I DO SOME-THING ?
SURE, CAN YOU CLEAN THIS PAGE WITH ERASER?
DRAWING...
ERASING...
DRAWING...
ERASING...
DRAWING...
ERASING...
AGHH!
SLAM

NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I DRAW, I CAN'T DRAW WHAT I LIKE!
THERE'S NO GOOD POSE IN THE REFERENCE BOOK EITHER...
GASP
B-BMP
B-BMP
W-WHAT HAPPENED ?
YOU SCARED ME...
I'M SO UPSET HOW BAD I AM!
I CAN'T! I CAN'T DRAW AT ALL!
SNIFF...
WHAT'S THIS EMBARRASSING POSE?!
LIFT UP THE UPPER HALF OF YOUR BODY A LITTLE.
THAT'S GREAT!
WHAT?
AHH...
THIS IS IT! ABE-KUN, YOU CAN POSE FOR ME!
GOOD! THAT'S EXCELLENT ! KEEP IT FOR A WHILE, PLEASE !

HEART THUMP
SHE LOOKS VERY SERIOUS.
SCRIBBLE
I REMEMBER, ONCE SHE MADE ME POSE WITHOUT WEARING ANYTHING ON TOP.
I WENT ON ALL FOURS AND SAW HER UNDERWEAR.
THEN, I GOT AN ERECTION...
RECALLING...
THAT TIME, I WAS IMPRESSED BY HER SKINNY SHOULDERS AND SMOOTH SKIN.
I ALSO HUGGED HER WHEN SHE WAS ONLY WEARING BATH TOWEL IN HER HOUSE.
I HUGGED HER IMPULSIVELY AT THE TIME.
IF I HUG HER NOW, I WONDER IF I'D STILL SMELL THE SAME SHAMPOO...?
I STILL REMEMBER THE SWEET SMELL OF HER SHAMPOO.

WHAT ?!
OH NO!
TURN
THAT TIME...
B-BUMP
TOO MUCH BLOOD RAN INTO MY PENIS...
NO, BUT...
WHAT'S WRONG? DO YOU HAVE STOMACH-ACHE?
I'M REALLY SORRY. I KNOW IT'S NOT THE MOMENT...
TEARING
I'M REALLY SORRY. I SHOULD KILL MYSELF. SHOULDL I?
BLUSH
YOU MEAN ...
WHAATTT?!

HA HA HA...
I REMEMBER SOMETHING SIMILAR HAPPENED BEFORE.
YEAH, LAST TIME YOU ASKED ME TO SHOW IT TO YOU.
BLUSH
WHAT?
I ASKED SUCH A CRAZY REQUEST DIDN'T I?
THAT WAS JUST MY CURIOSITY. I HAVE A VERY CURIOUS NATURE ABOUT THE HUMAN BODY. IT'S LIKE DISCOVERING THE WORLD'S MYSTERIES...
DO YOU STILL WANNA SEE IT?
MAKING NO SENSE...
NOD
BLUSH
WHAT?
BLUSH

EEEK!
わあああああ!!
WAAAHHH
A-ARE YOU SERI-OUS ?!
HOW CRAZY ARE YOU?!
HOW CAN YOU SAY THAT TO ME?! EVEN MY PARENTS NEVER TOLD ME THAT!
DAMN, YOU MUST HAVE SUCH A SMALL ANUS!
IT'S A COMPLIMENT BY THE WAY.
OF COURSE I DO!
I DON'T CARE!
SORRY, FORGET ABOUT WHAT I JUST SAID.
PANTING
I KNOW IT'S NOT SOMETHING THAT YOU SHOULD SHOW TO ANYBODY.
I WILL.
IF IT'S ONLY FOR YOU.

I... REALLY LIKE YOU, ASAI.
SO, IF YOU WANNA SEE IT, I'LL SHOW YOU.
IT'S NOTHING AMAZING THOUGH.
G-GO AHEAD...
GO AHEAD?!
HEART THUMP
キュン
HE'S INVITING ME, WHILE BEING TOTALLY SUBMISSIVE.

B-BMP
B-BMP
WHAT'S THIS STRONG FEELING OF MOE!
HE'S CUTE!
HE'S SO CUTE, ABE-KUN!
B-BMP
GASP
IS THIS THE FEELING OF AGGRESSIVENESS ?!
DROP
ARE YOU...
REALLY OK WITH THAT?
YOU SOUND LIKE YOU'RE READING LINES...
I DON'T LIKE THAT.

KNEEL DOWN

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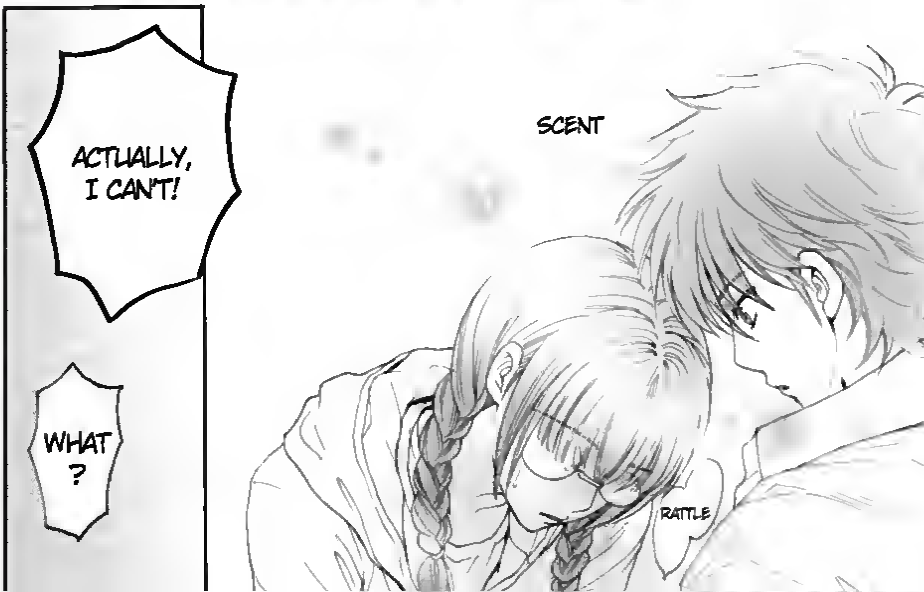
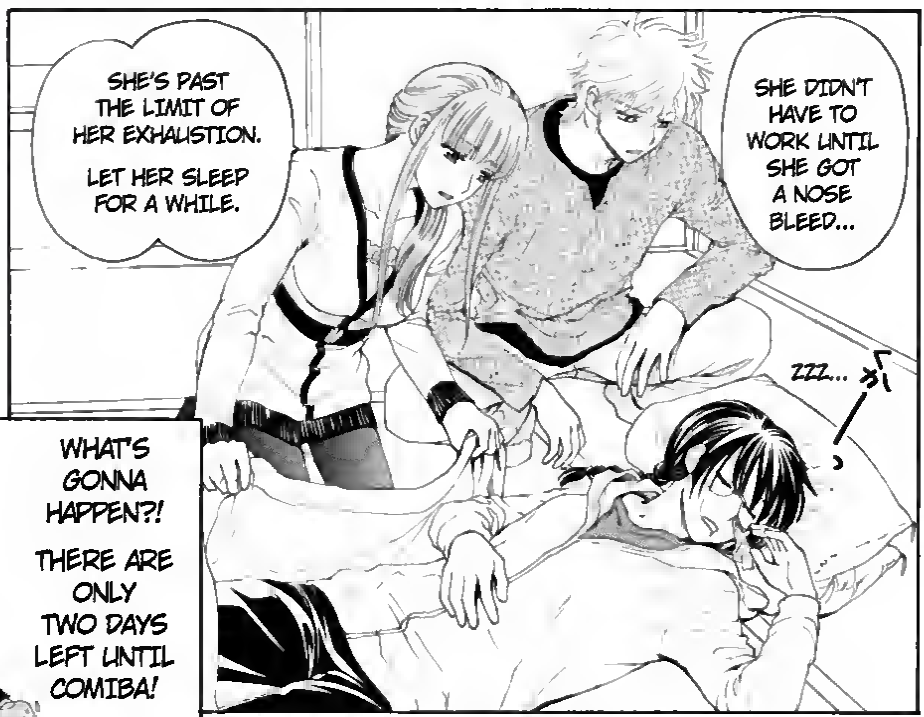
WA...WAA...
WAAAHHHH
WHOA
HANDS REACHING


ACTUALLY, I CAN'T!
WHAT ?
SCENT
RATTLE

I'M SORRY, BUT I DON'T THINK THIS IS RIGHT !
BECAUSE ... YOU WOULDN'T CARE IF IT WASN'T MINE, WOULD YOU?
WHAT ?
IF YOU LIKE ME, I'LL SHOW IT TO YOU AS MANY TIMES AS YOU WANT.
BUT I THINK YOU SHOULD DO THIS KIND OF THING WITH SOMEONE WHO YOU LOVE.
I'M SORRY.
OTHER THAN ABE-KUN'S ?
I'VE NEVER THOUGHT OF ANYBODY ELSE BUT ABE-KUN.
BECAUSE, ABE-KUN IS... ABE-KUN IS...
FAINT
NOSE BLEED

WAAAHHH
WAKE UP ASAI~!
UNCONSCIOUS
OH NO, THIS IS BAD...
WE MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO FINISH THE BOOK ANYMORE.
WE CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT.


SHE'S PAST THE LIMIT OF HER EXHAUSTION.
LET HER SLEEP FOR A WHILE.
SHE DIDN'T HAVE TO WORK UNTIL SHE GOT A NOSE BLEED...
ZZZ...
WHAT'S GONNA HAPPEN?!
THERE ARE ONLY TWO DAYS LEFT UNTIL COMIBA!
I'M SORRY...

CHAPTER 50. END

ASAI FAINTED ON THE SECOND DAY OF CRUNCH TIME.
SHE WAS FAST ASLEEP AFTER WORKING DAY AND NIGHT.
ZZZ...
すぴー
WHEN SHE WOKE UP, IT WAS ALREADY 3 O'CLOCK THE NEXT MORNING.
EEEK!
THAT WAS THE WORST MOMENT OF ALL HER 16 YEARS IN LIFE.
THE THIRD DAY OF CRUNCH TIME, A DAY BEFORE COMIBA.
I'M SORRY, GUYS~!
WEEP
うえーん
HEY, CHIBACCHI, GO MAKE COPIES OF THESE!
GET US ALSO ENERGY DRINKS.
GOTCHA!
DRAWING
DRAWING
DON'T WORRY! WE'LL MAKE IT! JUST DO YOUR BEST!
TAKING ADVANTAGE OF HER PARENTS' ABSENCE, THEY STAYED UP ALL NIGHT AND KEPT WORKING.
THEN, THE DAY OF COMIBA, AT SEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.
THEY ARE DONE!
GOOD FOR YOU.
I'M DYING...
死屍累々
CORPSES
THANK YOU...
GOOD JOB...

BYE!
WE'RE GOING!
I CAN'T ...
WHERE'S YOUR ENERGY COMING FROM ?
WE'LL GO LATER IF WE CAN.
THANK YOU, FUJI-KUN
FOR GETTING TICKETS AND COMING WITH ME HERE.
NO PROBLEM. IT'S NOTHING.
WILL YOU STAY WITH ME EVEN AFTER THIS?
HUH ?
WHERE ARE WE GOING AFTER THIS ?

I'M A MEAN PERSON, BUT I THINK I CAN BE A GOOD PERSON, IF I STAY WITH YOU.
THAT'S WHY, I WANT YOU TO BE WITH ME...
AS MY BOYFRIEND.
OK THEN,
GIVE ME YOUR ANSWER LATER.
WHAT!?
W-WHAT!?
DID SHE JUST MAKE LOVE CONFESSION TO ME?
LOVE CONFESSION!?
BOYFRIEND!?
I'LL GO SAY HI TO SOME PEOPLE AND SHOP AROUND.
YEAH
ALRIGHT, WE'RE ALMOST READY.
SURE, GOOD LUCK.
~MUSIC~
AH, THIS SONG!

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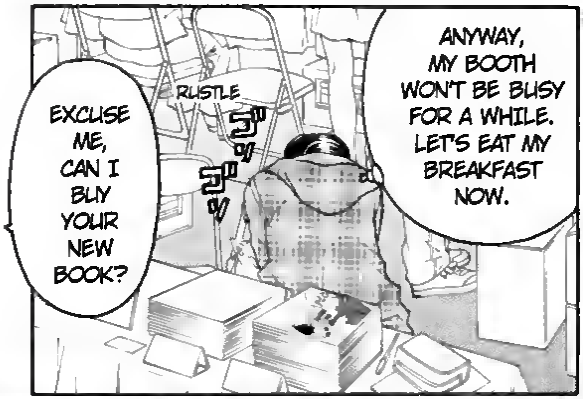
~CHEERS~
WE'RE NOW,
STARTING THE OPENING DAY OF COMIC BANQUET 79.


EXCUSE ME, CAN I BUY YOUR NEW BOOK?
RUSTLE
ANYWAY, MY BOOTH WON'T BE BUSY FOR A WHILE. LET'S EAT MY BREAKFAST NOW.

AH, YES...
WHAT?!

PLEASE DON'T RUN~
I'M SELLING MY OWN BOOKS AT COMIBA.
RIGHT NOW, I'M MAKING ONE OF MY DREAMS COME TRUE...
DON'T RUN~

MOMOSE-SAN!?
G-GOOD MORNING...
AWWW, WHY AM I JUST SAYING HELLO?!
WHAT?
WHY ARE YOU SO EARLY?
I GOT A TICKET FROM MY FRIEND.
WHAT?
THEN, YOU CAME STRAIGHT TO MY BOOTH?!
YEAH.
T-THANK YOU...
I THOUGHT YOU WOULDN'T COME TODAY, SO I WAS GONNA GIVE THIS TO YOU LATER.
WHAT?
WOULD YOU TAKE THIS?
WHAT?
NO, I'LL PAY FOR IT.
IT'S OK.
WE WORKED REALLY HARD ON THIS ONE BECALISE WE WANTED YOU TO READ IT.
SO, PLEASE.
I WANT YOU TO READ IT.

I'LL BE HAPPY TO HEAR YOUR FEEDBACK.
I THOUGHT THEY DIDN'T CARE ABOUT ME AT ALL...
OUR GOAL WAS TO MAKE MOMOSE-SAN SATISFIED...
SORRY, THAT'S JUST OUR OWN IDEA.
THEY MADE THIS BOOK BECAUSE THEY WANTED ME TO READ IT...
OK, I'LL TAKE IT.
GOOD!
Change the World

HEY, DO YOU WANNA SIT HERE AND READ IT?
CAN I?
SURE, COME THROUGH UNDER THE TABLE.

AWWW, I'M KIND OF NERVOUS...
EXCUSE ME, I'LL TAKE ONE OF EACH BOOK.
AH, YES!
ASAMATSU

OPEN

PHEW...
THESE ARE SO HEAVY ...
BUT, I'M SO HAPPY~
すごい!!
HEAVY...
WHAT?! REALLY ?!
THERE'S A LINE AT OUR BOOTH!!
THANK YOU.
EXCUSE ME~
HEY, RUMI. THIS IS GREAT...
GASP
HEY, MATTSUN, YOU'RE BACK.
OUR NEW BOOKS ARE ALMOST SOLD OUT.
¥400
WHAT!? WHY IS SHE HERE ?!
真剣
DEAD SERIOUS
SHE WAS THE FIRST PERSON WHO CAME TO BUY OUR BOOK.
REA-LLY ?!
I'LL TAKE TWO OF YOUR NEW BOOKS.
AH, YES!
I ASKED HER TO READ IT ALREADY.
NEW BOOKS ARE SOLD OUT!
GREAT !
NEW BOOKS SOLD OUT. THANK YOU.

EXCITED
THIS IS AMAZING! MAYBE OUR TIME HAS COME.
ALSO, THERE'S ONLY 50 OF "ICE" LEFT.
I GUESS MANY NEW PEOPLE CAME TO BUY OUR PREVIOUS BOOKS, TOO.
WHY IS THAT? COULD IT BE THE EFFECT OF OUR WEBSITE?
GETTING UP
THIS IS SICK...
INCREDIBLY AMAZING!!!
WHAT ...
REALLY ?
ASAMAT?
I WANNA PAY FOR IT.
ISN'T IT 400 YEN?
LET ME DO THAT.
NO, IT'S OK. I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU.
ARE YOU SURE ?!
NO, IT DESERVES THE PRICE.
THIS IS A REWARD FOR MAKING ME SATISFIED.

YEAH,
IN THE BEGINNING OF THIS BOOK, THE PRINCE MADE ME FEEL IMPATIENT, PAINFUL AND EMOTIONAL. I COULD SHARE THESE FEELINGS WITH HIM.
Change the World
IN THE SECOND HALF OF THE BOOK, THESE FEELINGS GOT PAID OFF, YET I STILL FELT THAT THERE WAS A UNIVERSAL THEME, "THE REASON OF OUR EXISTENCE," IMPLIED UNDERNEATH THE STORY.
BY READING THROUGH THE WHOLE BOOK, WE COMPLETE THE WORLD OF THESE CHARACTERS.
IT WAS AN EXTREMELY SATISFYING BOOK.
THANK YOU, I ENJOYED IT A LOT.
SNIFF...
AWWW, I'M GONNA CRY...
SHRIEK
I FEEL LIKE I'M NAKED.
I'M SO EMBARRASSED.
YOUR PREVIOUS BOOK WAS PRETTY GOOD TOO, ACTUALLY.
WHAT?
REALLY ?!
THAT'S NOT WHAT YOU TOLD US BEFORE!
YOU SAID IT WAS MEDIOCRE!

ANYWAY, BECAUSE OF HER SORE CRITICISM,
WE WERE DETERMINED TO MAKE A BETTER WORK THIS TIME.
TRUE.
IN A WAY, IT WAS A CHALLENGE OF OWN LIMITS.
B-BECAUSE I THOUGHT I WOULD LOSE TO YOU IF I GAVE YOU ANY COMPLEMENTS.
IT WASN'T AS GOOD AS THIS ONE ANYWAY.
UGH, YOU'RE SO COMPETI-TIVE.
CHATTSUKO
WE'VE BEEN THROUGH MANY DIFFICULTIES UNTIL NOW, BUT I FEEL EVERYTHING PAID OFF.
THANK YOU.
SIGH...
YEAH, SERIOUSLY, A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED,
ABE-KUN WAS SUSPENDED, AND OUR WEBSITE GOT EXPOSED.
DON'T THANK ME...
NOW, ALL OF THEM SEEM TO BE OLD MEMORIES.
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HA HA HA
WHAT ?
I EXPOSED YOUR WEBSITE.

I'M SORRY!
I KNOW I CAN'T BE FORGIVEN, BUT I JUST WANT TO APOLOGIZE TO YOU...
WHAT...?
ARE YOU SERIOUS?
I'M SINCERELY SORRY.
WHY YOU...?
I WAS FRUSTRATED... NO, MORE LIKE ENVIOUS.
FIST...
EVEN THOUGH WE'RE THE SAME AGE, YOU PUBLISH YOUR OWN FAN-MADE BOOKS AND HAVE TALENT,
BUT I DON'T HAVE ANY SKILLS...
YOU GUYS ALWAYS SEEM TO BE HAPPY TOGE-THER,
BUT I HAVE SO MANY CONCERNS ABOUT MY FRIEND-SHIPS.
FURTHER MORE, YOUR BOYFRIEND IS CHIBA, AND ABE LIKES YOU AS WELL.
I WAS UPSET BECAUSE YOU HAD EVERYTHING I WANTED...
WHEN I CHECKED YOUR WEBSITE, I SAW THAT VITAONE-SAN ADORES YOU TOO.

EXCUSE ME.
YOU DON'T HAVE ANY-MORE OF YOUR NEW BOOKS ?
SORRY, THEY'RE ALL SOLD OUT.
DAMN, I WAS LOOKING FORWARD TO THEM!
THEN, I'LL TAKE THIS ONE.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
IT'S 500 YEN.
WON'T YOU UPDATE YOUR WEBSITE DIARY?
AH, YES, WE'LL DO IT SOON.
I'M GLAD.
I FOUND YOUR WEBSITE THROUGH O-CHAN, BUT NOW I'M TOTALLY OBSESSED WITH YOUR WORK.
YOUR DIARY IS FUNNY TOO.
I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO READING IT AGAIN.
LOOK
GOOD LUCK THEN.
BOW
YES! THANK YOU VERY MUCH!
BURST INTO LAUGHTER
OH MY GOD! YOU JUST ADVERTISED OUR WEBSITE!
REALLY ?
THAT'S WHY MORE PEOPLE ARE COMING TO OUR BOOTH TODAY!

HELLO GIRLS~
IT'S REALLY VITAONE-SAN.
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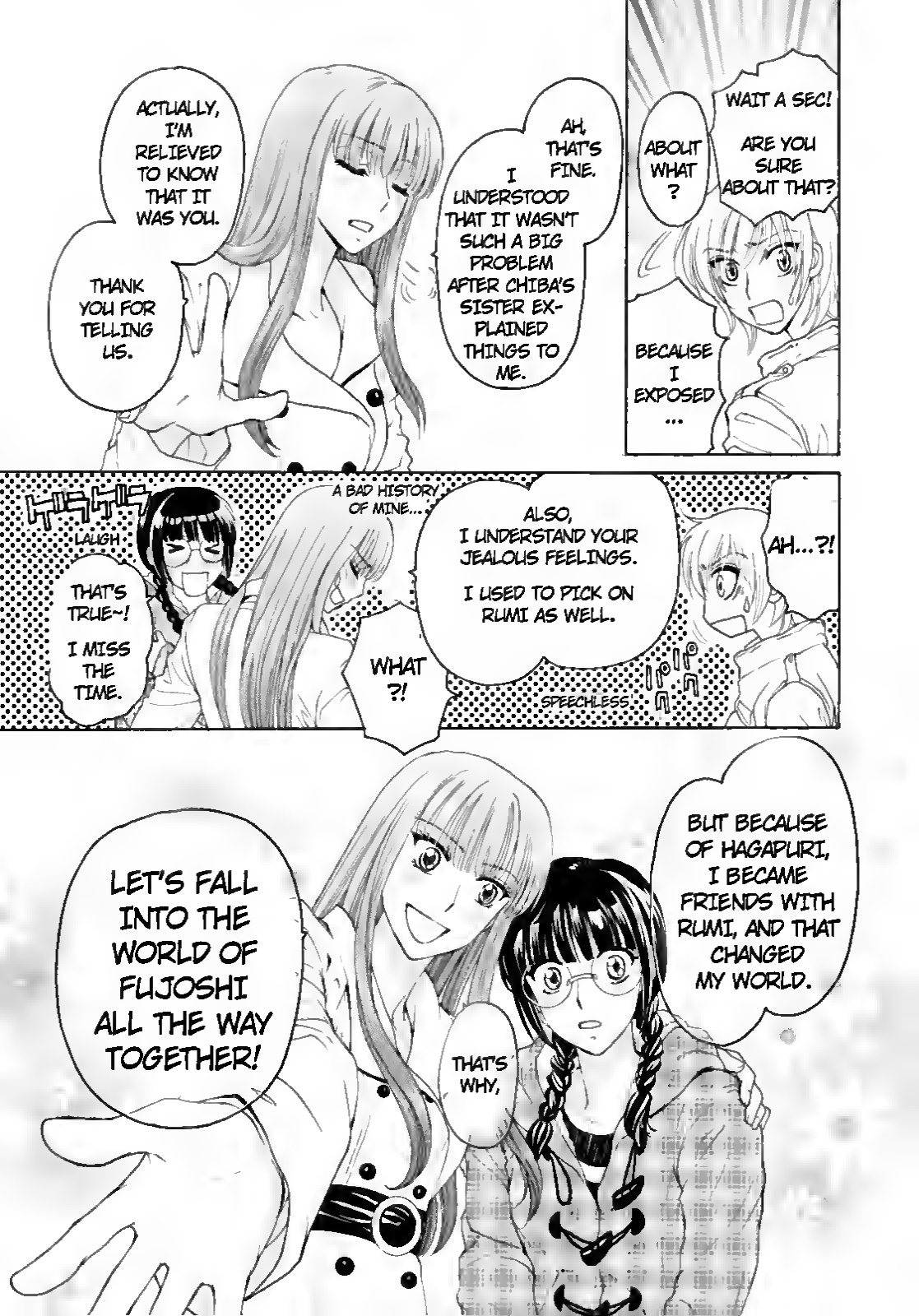
SHRIEK
WE CAME BECAUSE WE REALLY WANTED TO GIVE YOU OUR FEEDBACK.
YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO...
THANK YOU FOR BRINGING US YOUR NEW BOOKS EARLIER.
YOU DID A GREAT JOB! IT WAS VERY GOOD, BOTH THE STORY AND ILLUSTRATIONS.
YOKO-CHAN, YOU ALSO DID A FANTASTIC JOB!
I WAS SO MOVED THAT I CRIED A LITTLE WHILE I WAS READING IT.
CHIBA'S SISTER!
AOI-SAN!
HERE, GIFTS FOR YOU GUYS.
DON'T CRY. YOU DID GREAT!
HUH?
WOW, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
AMAZING, THEY'RE BEING PRAISED BY VITAONE-SAN.

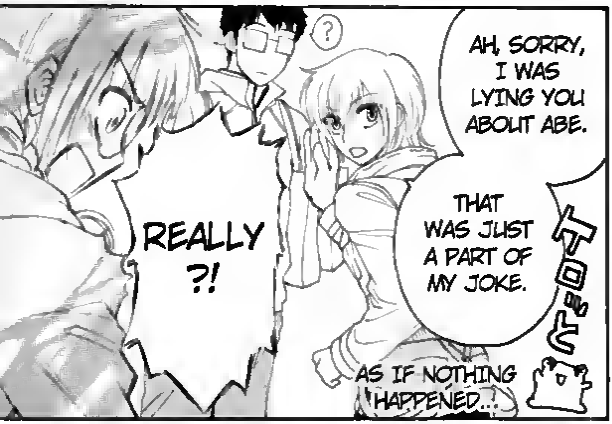
YUKI... YOU CHECK TOO MUCH ABOUT GIRLS AROUND SHUN-KUN.
SHE DOES ?
JUST AS I THOUGHT! YOUR FACE LOOKS FAMILIAR TO ME.
THE WORLD'S VITAONE-SAN...
WHAT... HOW DO YOU KNOW ME...?
ドキッ HEART THUMP
ARE YOU THE GIRL FROM IKEGAMI JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL SWIM CLUB?
WHAT?
BUT YOU WERE STILL GOING TO SEE HIS SWIM COMPETITIONS AND SECRETLY TAKING HIS PICTURES...
I BET YOU DON'T KNOW ME BECAUSE SHUN USED TO HIDE ANYTHING ABOUT ME.
HE DIDN'T LIKE PEOPLE SAYING THAT WE HAD THE SAME FACES.
HUH? MOMOSE-SAN, DON'T YOU KNOW? HIIRAGI YUKI-SAMA IS CHIBA-KUN'S REAL SISTER.
NOW, YOU'RE SURPRISED!
WHAAATTT ?!!!
PLEASE GIVE ME THOSE PHOTOS.
キリッ SERIOUS
TRUE! SHE LOOKS SIMILAR!
YOU'RE SO CUTE! ARE YOU HELPING THEM TODAY?
NO, I WAS JUST...
NICE TO MEET YOU. I'M A BIG FAN OF YOURS.
THAT'S WHY THEY ADORE ASAI-SAN AND MATSUI-SAN...
ペコ BOW

SHE'S A PRECIOUS ADVISOR OF "ASAMATSU."
YES, IT WAS BECAUSE OF HER PRECISE AND BITTER ADVICE, THAT WE COULD PRODUCE OUR NEW BOOK THIS TIME.
INDEED, IT'S IMPORTANT TO HAVE SOMEONE WHO TELLS YOU OBJECTIVE OPINIONS.
EXACTLY.
WHAT? WAIT...
YES YES
I SEE, THAT'S WHY YOU'VE GROWN SO MUCH.
NICE TO MEET YOU, WELL...
AH, I'M MOMOSE...
MOMOSE TSUGUMI.
YOUR NAME IS ALSO CUTE.
NICE TO MEET YOU TSUGUMI-CHAN.
Y-YES...
DREAMY...
SEE YOU LATER THEN,
B-BMP
B-BMP
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!


WAIT A SEC!
ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THAT?
ABOUT WHAT?
BECAUSE I EXPOSED ...
AH, THAT'S FINE. I UNDERSTOOD THAT IT WASN'T SUCH A BIG PROBLEM AFTER CHIBA'S SISTER EXPLAINED THINGS TO ME.
ACTUALLY, I'M RELIEVED TO KNOW THAT IT WAS YOU.
THANK YOU FOR TELLING US.
AH...?!
ALSO, I UNDERSTAND YOUR JEALOUS FEELINGS.
I USED TO PICK ON RUMI AS WELL.
SPEECHLESS
WHAT?!
A BAD HISTORY OF MINE...
LAUGH
THAT'S TRUE~! I MISS THE TIME.
BUT BECAUSE OF HAGAPURI, I BECAME FRIENDS WITH RUMI, AND THAT CHANGED MY WORLD.
THAT'S WHY,
LET'S FALL INTO THE WORLD OF FUJOSHI ALL THE WAY TOGETHER!

A PERSON LIKE ME CAN STAY WITH YOU GUYS?
... ARE YOU SURE?
IS IT POSSIBLE THAT MY WORLD CAN CHANGE...?
IT'S NOT LIKE YOU HAVE NOTHING TO OFFER.
YOU HAVE A SKILL FOR JUDGING WHAT'S GOOD AND BAD IN MANGA.
YEAH!
THIS MUST BE FATE!
WE'RE IN THE SAME SCHOOL AND THE SAME YEAR.
WE ARE ALL HAGAPURI FANS THAT LOVE THE SAME COUPLING.
MAYBE IT'S POSSIBLE.
IF IT'S FATE, I MUST FOLLOW THEM!
WE'LL AIM FOR THE TOP!
YOU'RE SO AMBITIOUS!
おほほほ…
HA HA HA
IF I WISH TO CHANGE, MAYBE...

OHH, YOU DON'T HAVE TO...
DO YOU KNOW HIM ?
YEAH, HE'S THE PERSON WHO I'M IN LOVE WITH NOW.
I SEE.
WHAT ?!!


AH, SORRY, I WAS LYING YOU ABOUT ABE.
THAT WAS JUST A PART OF MY JOKE.
トロッ
AS IF NOTHING HAPPENED..!
REALLY ?!

MOMOSE-SAN...
FUJI-KUN!
I'M GLAD YOU GIRLS GOT ALONG.
HE WAS SHOPPING AROUND IN THE CORP-ORATE SPACE.
企業スペース
まわって
ました☆

THAT WAS A GOOD LIE, WASN'T IT?
BECAUSE NOW I'M IN LOVE WITH...
WELL... I'M LIKE THIS.
ARE YOU REALLY SURE ABOUT THAT?
I KNOW.
I SAID I AM.

DISAPPOINTED...
WHAT'S WRONG, RUMI?
ガックリ
SHE GOT ME ...

STUNNED...
YEAH.
I HOPE WE CAN MAKE A NICE COUPLE TOGETHER!
I...
I'M TOTALLY CONFUSED AND LOST, BUT CONGRATULATIONS ANYWAY!
LOVE CONFESSION AT COMIBA... THEY'RE A DEEPLY OTAKU COUPLE..
WHAT?! REALLY? CONGRATS!!
N-NICE TO MEET YOU...
I JUST GOT A NEW BOYFRIEND JUST NOW!
HE'S FUJI-KUN!
THAT ACTUALLY HAPPENED TO ME TOO!
APPLAUD
APPLAUD
IT SOUNDS WEIRD FOR ME TO SAY THIS AFTER INTERFERING BETWEEN YOU AND ABE, BUT IT'S YOUR TURN NOW, ASAI-SAN!
WHY ?!!
ビシッ
POINTING IN THE FACE!

I BECAME SURE THAT YOU ARE DEFINITELY IN LOVE, AFTER READING YOUR NEW BOOK.
YOU SEEM JOYFUL.
WHAT?!
A WORK AND ITS AUTHOR ARE SEPARATE THINGS.
I THOUGHT SO TOO.
I WON'T SAY THAT THESE THINGS ARE 100% SAME, BUT WHEN THE PRINCE BECOMES AWARE OF HIS LOVE AND BECOMES AFRAID OF HIS CHANGING SELF, THAT PART OF THE DESCRIPTION SEEMS TO REFLECT YOUR OWN FEELINGS...
IF THAT'S SO, YOU MUST KNOW YOUR ANSWER ALREADY...
YOU ALREADY HAVE YOUR OWN ANSWER IN YOURSELF.
SINCE I FELL IN LOVE WITH SHUNSUKE, MY POINT OF VIEW HAS BEEN CHANGED WHEN I EITHER READ OR WRITE BOY'S LOVE COMIC BOOKS.
HOW ABOUT YOU, RUMI ?
HAS ANYTHING CHANGED SINCE YOU MET ABE?

YOU KEPT SAYING THAT. YOU DIDN'T WANNA GO...
WHAT'S UP? HAVE YOU SOLD ANY?
REALLY?! THAT'S AMAZING!
AH, THE PERSON HIMSELF IS HERE NOW.
I...
OUR NEW BOOKS SOLD OUT!
B-BMP
I CAME ON A DATE AT COMIBA WITH MY BOYFRIEND. DO YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH THAT?
BECAUSE SHE'S OUR FRIEND!
I WAS SLIGHTLY AWARE OF...
WHAT? WHY MOMOSE IS HERE?
I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHEN MY HEARTBEAT BECAME SO FAST...
WHAT?
REALLY?

I WAS ALSO BECOMING AWARE OF THE FACT THAT
ABE-KUN IS THE ONLY PERSON WHO CAN STIMULATE MY HEART LIKE THIS...
CONGRATS FOR SELLING OUT!
ANYWAY, I'M GLAD OUR HARD WORK GOT PAID OFF, ASAI.
I'M GONNA GO SHOPPING.
SEE YOU LATER!
RUN
WHAT?
TH...
THANK YOU!
OH NO! I HAVEN'T BOUGHT ANY BOOKS YET!
?
RUSTLE.

BUT, IT'S JUST MY FEELING OF "MOE" TOWARD ABE-KUN.
SHE ESCAPED.
?
DAMN.
IT'S 300 YEN.
I'LL TAKE THIS ONE.
I HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THOSE THINGS, DO I ?!
IT'S NOT LIKE "LOVE" OR "BOYFRIEND..."
THIS ONE PLEASE.
I'LL TAKE THAT ONE.
アドレナMAX!
HA HA HA HA
ADRENALINE MAX!
THIS IS ME!
コミ ノ ヽ満喫♡
FULLY ENJOYING COMIBA!

THEY BOUGHT THEM!
I'M SO HAPPY~!
WHOA, PEOPLE ARE READING OUR BOOKS.
...
WHOA
BLWP
E-EXCUSE ME!
BECAUSE WE HAD ABE-KUN'S HELP...
WE WERE ABLE TO PUBLISH THOSE NEW BOOKS
HEY, ASA-CHAN. IT'S BEEN A WHILE. WE WERE JUST ABOUT TO GO TO YOUR BOOTH.
W-WHY?
キラリーン
SHINING
HEY, CUTIE PIE!
ZEROYA-SAN!

~WE'RE FULLY ROTTEN~
根っから腐ってマ～～ス♡
EXCITED
EXCITED
WE WANTED TO BUY YOUR NEW BOOKS!
WHAT ?!!
YUKI-CHAN SAID THAT ASAMATSU'S NEW BOOKS ARE REALLY GOOD!
WE'RE DYING TO READ THEM!
SISTER... THAT'S WHY SO MANY PEOPLE CAME TO OUR BOOTH...
I'M SORRY, BUT THOSE NEW BOOKS ARE SOLD OUT.
え～っ
OH NO! WE WERE TOO LATE!
THAT'S AMAZING! CONGRATS!
ORIGINALLY, WE ONLY PRINTED FIFTY OF THEM. THEY'RE JUST COPY BOOKS ANYWAY.
IF YOU WANT, I CAN MAIL THEM TO YOU.
FOR REAL ?
IT'S NOTHING AMAZING.
WAVING HAND
AH, THERE WILL BE ANOTHER EVENT OF OURS IN FEBRUARY. MAYBE YOU CAN BRING THEM THERE?
WILL YOU JOIN OUR EVENT ?
SURE, I'D BE HAPPY TO!

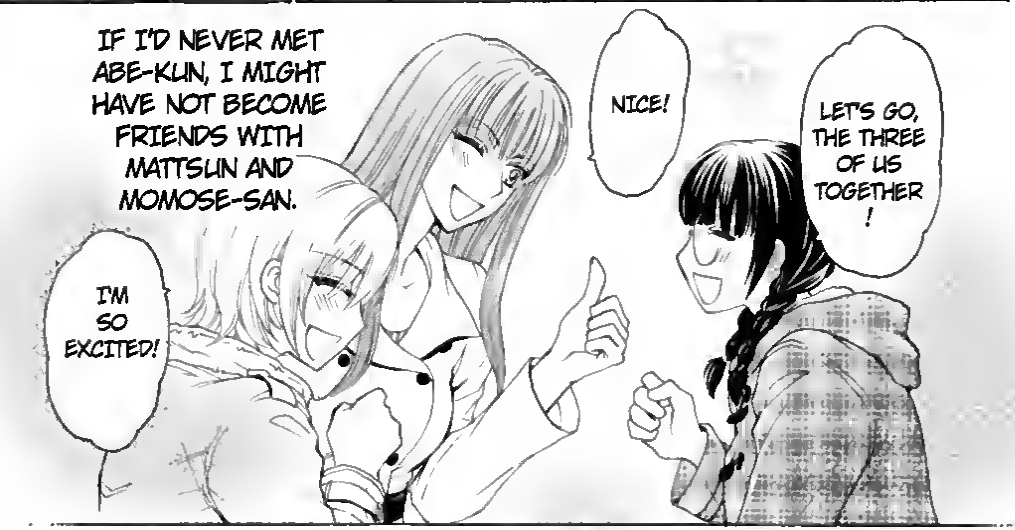
SAY HELLO TO MATSU-SAN FOR US.
WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AGAIN.
HUG
ギュっ
THEY'RE SO HANDSOME AND MAKE ME FEEL MOE.
PHEW...
SHRIEK, MY HEART WAS BEATING SO FAST.
B-BMP
ドキドキ
B-BMP
ドキドキ
SEE YOU.
IT'S COMPLETELY DIFFERENT!
MY FEELINGS FOR ABE-KUN MUST BE "MOE..."
IT'S NOT THE SAME!
!!!
GASP

WHEN ABE-KUN HUGGED ME, MY MIND BLANKED OUT.
MY HEART WAS RACING SO FAST THAT I FELT LIKE I WAS CHOKING AND SPINNING AROUND.
IT'S DEFINITELY DIFFERENT !!
MY REACTION WITH ZEROYA-SAN IS TOTALLY DIFFERENT FROM HOW I FEEL ABOUT ABE-KUN.
IF THOSE FEELINGS TOWARD ZEROYA-SAN ARE "MOE,"
MY FEELINGS TOWARD ABE-KUN ARE...

MY HEART LEAPED FOR THE FIRST TIME...
WHO'S THAT ?
CAN I CALL YOU KAWORU-KUN ?
MY NAME IS TAKA-HIRO!
TWO MISTAKES...
THAT MOMENT, I DEFINITELY HEARD THE VOICE OF THE PERSON...
IT MEANS A RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN MEN.
BLUSH
THAT MEANS...
YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH HIM.
うわあああ
WAAAHHH!
YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH HIM.
YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH HIM.
YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH HIM.
でしょね～
THAT'S WHAT I THOUGH...
三度目の正直
サードインパクト
-THIRD TIME HONESTY-
THE THIRD IMPACT

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
IT'S AMAZING! THIS IS THE LAST BOOK WE HAVE LEFT.
GREAT!
REALLY? THAT'S AWESOME!
HAS ASAI NOT COME BACK YET?
AH, SHE'S BACK.
RUMI~
WELCOME BACK!
THERE'S ONLY ONE BOOK LEFT!
IF I'D NEVER MET ABE-KUN THAT DAY...
BUMP
YOU GUYS ARE INCREDIBLE!
HEART THUMP

YOU NEED IT
DID YOU GET THE ROCK OF KAWAK?
I'M STUCK NOW
DON'T IGNORE ME.
NO.
TALKING ABOUT OLD VIDEO GAMES.
I WANNA GO~!
YEAH, THEY INVITED US TO GO TO THEIR EVENT IN FEBRUARY.
YOU MEAN THOSE HANDSOME COSPLAYERS ?!
REALLY ?!
UGH, SO HEAVY.
I MET ZEROYA-SAN ON THE WAY BACK.


IF I'D NEVER MET ABE-KUN, I MIGHT HAVE NOT BECOME FRIENDS WITH MATTSUN AND MOMOSE-SAN.
I'M SO EXCITED!
NICE!
LET'S GO, THE THREE OF US TOGETHER !

THAT MEANS ALSO HIS SISTER, AOI-SAN, TSUKAMOTO-SENPAI,
EVEN WITH CHIBA-KUN...
AND ZEROYA-SAN...
CONGRATULATIONS
THE BOOKS ARE ALMOST SOLD OUT, HUH?
ONCE YOU GUYS ARE DONE, LET'S GO EAT DINNER, ALL OF US.
GOOD IDEA!

AND I MIGHT NOT EVEN BE AT COMIBA IN THIS MOMENT...
ASAI, I HAVE A FAVOR TO ASK.
HUH ?
CAN I...
BUY THE LAST BOOK?
SURE,
I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU!

OHHHH~!
おお
ASAMATSU BOOKS HAVE SOLD OUT AT COMIBA FOR THE FIRST TIME!
AND GOOD FOR YOU ABE!
CONGR-ATS ABECCHI.
ABE, ARE YOU A STAR NOW?
あはははは…
HA HA HA HA HA
ALL THIS HAPPINESS HAS STARTED FROM ABE-KUN...
HE WAS SO CLOSE TO ME THAT I DIDN'T REALIZE...
CHEERS
ワァァァ
APPLAUD
WE'RE NOW, CLOSING THE FIRST DAY OF COMIC BANQUET 79.
ME TOO.
THEN, I'LL GO TO THE BATH-ROOM.
OK.
I'LL GO ASK FOR DELIVERY.
YOU BOUGHT TOO MANY!
IT'S SO HEAVY!

EVERYBODY LOOKS SO TIRED.
THE MOOD HAS TOTALLY CHANGED FROM THE ENERGY IN THE BEGINNING.
ASAI, LOOK AT THEM.
HAHAHA
はは
PHEW... I'M SO TIRED.
GOOD JOB. YOU HAVEN'T SLEPT YET.
EXHAUSTED...
ぐったり
ASAI ?
ZZZ...

ZZZ...
HEY.
SHE'S SLEEPING! SO QUICK!
TAKING OFF
SHE WORKED REALLY HARD...

LOOK AT THEM.
OH DEAR.
HOW PEACE-FUL.
THEY LOOK HAPPY.
JUST A LITTLE.
GOOD NIGHT, ASAI...
SHALL WE LEAVE THEM HERE?
THEY CAN MEET US WHEN THEY WAKE UP.
I AGREE.
WE SHOULDN'T DISTURB THEM ANYWAY.
ZZZ...
ZZZ...
THEY'RE FAST ASLEEP.
THEY LOOK SO CUTE.
ABE SEEMS TO BE COLD.
I'M GONNA LET HIM USE MY SCARF.
I'LL DO THE SAME.
THEY CAN USE MINE TOO.

THEY DIDN'T WAKE UP.
IT'S LIKE A PERFORMANCE.
GIGGLE
ZZZ..
THEY LOOK LIKE JIZO STATUE.
TRUE!
SO FUNNY.
THEY SHOULD ALSO GET TOGETHER IN REALITY.
ABE IS SO DUMB.
RUMI TOO.
はは
HA HA HA YOU GUYS ARE TALKING SO BADLY ABOUT HIM.
THAT'S THE FUNNY THING THOUGH.
ANYWAY, LET'S JUST GIVE THEM WARM SUPPORT.
WHATEVER HAPPENS, FOR SURE IT'LL BE FUNNY.
YOU'RE REALLY TERRIBLE.

WE'RE CLOSING SOON.
PLEASE LEAVE IMMEDIATELY.
WHOA ?!
AH, YES!
EXCUSE ME.
TAP
TAP
ZZZ...
WE'RE CLOSING SOON.
PLEASE LEAVE IMMEDIATELY.
STAFF
WHAT ARE THESE ?!
WHOA ?
I'M SLEEPY.
RUSTLE
HEY, WAKE UP.
LET'S GO!
THEY'RE CLOSING NOW.
HEY, ASAI!
WAKE UP!
HUH ?
WE'RE WALKING TOWARD THE EXIT.
ALRIGHT THEN, WE'LL HEAD OVER THERE.
DRAGGING
A SECURITY GUY WOKE US UP.
HEY, WHERE ARE YOU GUYS?
WHAT?
WHY DIDN'T YOU WAKE US UP?

HIS HAND FEELS WARM.
DAMN, THOSE GUYS...
PI
WHY AM I HOLDING ABE-KUN'S HAND WHILE WALKING WITH HIM?
HUH?
I WISH...
I COULD KEEP HOLDING HIS HAND LIKE THIS...

AH, THANK YOU FOR THE JACKET.
WHO'S SCARF IS THIS? MATTSUN'S?
SURE
MAYBE
YEAH, YOU WERE FAST ASLEEP.
I FELL SLEEP AFTER YOU.
WAS I SLEEP-ING?

GASP
WHAT? Y-YEAH.
CHIBACCHI SAID THEY ALREADY FINISHED EATING DINNER.
ISN'T THAT AWFUL?

EEEK
AH...
IT GETS COLD DURING NIGHT.
WHOA, IT'S FREEZING !!
MY HANDS ARE GETTING COLDER...
BY THE WAY, WHEN I CAME TO COMIBA LAST SUMMER, I WAS KIND OF DISGUSTED BY THE WHOLE THING, BUT...
THIS TIME, I FEEL COMPLETELY DIFFERENT.
WHAT ?
PEOPLE WHO COME HERE APPEAR TO BE VERY HAPPY.
I GUESS ...
MANY OF THEM SEEM TO BE EXHAUSTED, BUT THEY STILL LOOK VERY SATISFIED.

I THINK IT'S A HAPPY PLACE.
IT'S ALSO POSSIBLE THAT I'M JUST FEELING LIKE I'M PART OF IT BECAUSE I HELPED WITH YOUR BOOK.
SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND PEOPLE ATTEND DURING THOSE THREE DAYS, RIGHT?
IT'S AMAZING THAT THIS CAN MAKE SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND PEOPLE HAPPY.
AFTER WATCHING YOU GUYS WORKING HARD AND COMING HERE TODAY, I REALLY THINK THAT I WANNA FIND SOMETHING THAT I CAN DEVOTE MYSELF TO.
THANK YOU FOR LETTING ME HAVE THOSE GREAT EXPERIENCES.

I'M THE ONE WHO HAS TO SAY THANK YOU.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT I WANNA DO YET, THOUGH.
WHAT AM I TALKING SO MUCH?
I FEEL EMBARRASSED.
I'M SO HUNGRY...
I AM WHAT I AM TODAY, BECAUSE OF ABE-KUN.
"THANK YOU" IS WHAT I WANT TO SAY, BUT IT'S NOT ENOUGH.
WHAT CAN I SAY?
HOW CAN I EXPRESS MY FEELINGS?

I HAVE TO SAY IT!
B-BMP
I FOUND OUT THE ANSWER!
I CAN'T KEEP ESCAPING BY USING DELUSIONS AND MOE AS EXCUSES.
B-BMP
STOP RUNNING AWAY!
B-BMP
HUH ?

I...
I LOVE YOU...
I...
I LOVE YOU, ABE-KUN.

SNIFF...
CAN A PERSON LIKE ME BE IN LOVE WITH YOU?
IS IT OK...
FOR YOU
IF I LOVE YOU?
SNIFF...

IT'S...
...NOT GOOD OR BAD.
I...
I'VE BEEN TELLING YOU THAT I LOVE YOU THIS WHOLE TIME!
BY THE WAY, WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "A PERSON LIKE ME?"
DON'T TALK LIKE THAT ABOUT YOURSELF!
WHAT?
A FIG-HT?
WEEP
BECAUSE I'M LIKE THIS!
WHAT?
YOU ALSO TOLD ME THAT I WAS A PERVERT!
I'M JUST AN OTAKU AND NOT SMART...
I'M NOT CUTE LIKE MATTSUN AND MOMOSE-SAN, EITHER.
SNIFF...
THAT WAS ONLY...
LAUGH

GRAB
IF YOU SAY SUCH THINGS, I'M NOT SMART AND NOT HANDSOME LIKE CHIBA EITHER!
I KNOW THAT YOU ARE A PERVERT AND AN OTAKU,
BUT FOR ME, YOU ARE MUCH CUTER THAN MATSUI AND MOMOSE!
IF YOU SAY THAT YOU LOVE ME, WHY DON'T YOU TRUST WHAT I SAY!
I LOVE YOU MORE THAN ANYBODY ELSE!

えぇ!? うえぇぇぇ
WHAT!?
WEEP!
WHY ARE YOU CRYING ?!
BECA-USE...
UH...
UH
UHH...
SNIFF...
I...
I...
I'M SO HAPPY ...
SNIFF...
TH...
THANK YOU FOR...
SNIFF...
LOVING ME.
えぇぇぇ
SNIFF...
HEART THUMP
キュ〜ン♡
HUG
ひしっ
EEK!
YOU'RE SO CUTE!

PUSH AWAY
SHRIEK!
キャーッ
キャーッ
トン
WHOA
I CAN'T DO THOSE KIND OF THINGS!
WHY NOT ?!
B-BMP
ドキドキ
B-BMP
MY MIND IS NOT YET READY FOR THAT.
B-BMP
I-IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T LIKE TO DO THOSE THINGS, BUT WE'RE OUTSIDE AND STILL FRESHMEN IN HIGH SCHOOL.
FLIRTING EACH OTHER AT COMIBA IS INCONCEIVABLE FOR ME, ANYWAY.
THEN, LET ME HOLD YOUR HAND.
IT'S BEEN MY DREAM TO HOLD MY GIRLFRIEND'S HAND WHILE WE WALK.

I'LL REMEMBER TODAY.
SURE!
AND THE WARMTH OF HIS HAND HOLDING MINE.
LET'S GO! THEY'RE WAITING FOR US!
HEY, YOU SOUND LIKE AMURO.
AND THEN, I'LL USE THEM AS MATERIALS FOR MY NEXT BOOKS.
I CAN'T STOP HAVING DELUSIONS LIKE THAT, BECAUSE I'M A FUJOSHI!
WHAT ?
EPILOGUE. END

CHAPTER 45.
CHEER UP BABY

CHAPTER 46.
COLD CODE

CHAPTER 47.
OSHAKASHAMA

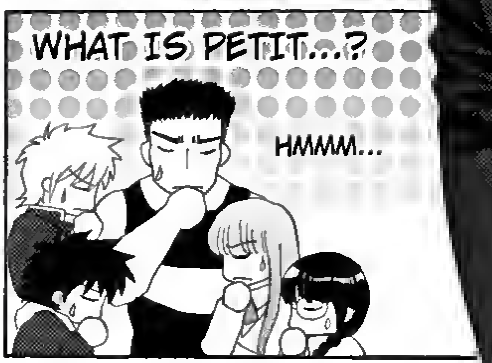
CHAPTER 48.
TITLE OF MINE

CHAPTER 49.
TIME FOR MIRACLES

CHAPTER 50.
FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT

EPILOGUE
WE ARE LUCKY FRIENDS

OF COURSE, WE KNOW THAT THE AUDIENCE OF "COMIC HIGH" ARE MAINLY YOUNG GIRLS!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "PETIT"?!
THAT'S CLOSE, MATTSUN. YOU MEAN YOU'RE "PISSED"
CALM DOWN



THERE SEEMED TO BE A SLIGHT MISUNDERSTANDING WHEN I EXPLAINED THE CONCEPT OF THIS PROJECT...

OTAKU-TYPE DELUSION GIRL PETIT

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PULL
HUH?
AH!
THIS PART OF HIS BODY IS PETIT.

HUH? I WAS JUST JOKING...
うわあああん
WAAAHHH
HEY, WHY DOES HE KNOW HIS SIZE !?
BASTARD CHIBA~!
MAYBE THEY SHOW IT TO EACH OTHER.
WHY IS EVEN TSUKAMOTO-SAN CRYING?
LET'S JUST SAY THAT THE JOKE WAS PETIT...

END

EXTRA MANGA THEATER

IT'S THE FINAL VOLUME OF OTAKU-TYPE DELLUSION GIRL!

IT'S DONE!

I CUT MY HAIR

HE CUT HIS TOO

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR READING UNTIL THE END!!

THE VISIONARY FINAL EPISODE

THIS IS THE FINAL EPISODE OF "OTAKU-TYPE DELLUSION GIRL"

HEY ASAI, THAT'S LIKE "LOSER-TYPE DELLUSION GIRL..."

GO FOR IT!

THE FINAL EPISODE PUBLISHED ON "COMIC HIGH" WAS INCOMPLETE WITHOUT A FULL LENGTH SCENE BECAUSE IT WAS UNPLANNED AND DELAYED.

THERE'S NO CONCLUSION! BECAUSE IT WAS SO INCOMPLETE THAT WE HAD TO INSERT A NOTE, SAYING THAT IT WAS THE LAST EPISODE. I'M SORRY FOR THOSE WHO WERE READING MAGAZINE VERSION.

I'M DISAPPOINTED!

WEEP

...THEREFORE

I COULD CONCLUDE THE STORY IN THE BOOK VERSION.

IT'S BEEN SUCH A PROBLE-MATIC MANGA UNTIL THE END...

BUT!

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THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

THE FRENCH VERSION OF OTAKU-TYPE DELUSION GIRL IS CALLED "OTAKU GIRLS"

WHAT!?

ARE YOU JOKING!?

YOU WON THE GRAND PRIZE.

REALLY!?

FRANCE!!

OUR TIME HAS COME! (LOL)

THERE WAS A HUGE SURPRISE IN THE END!

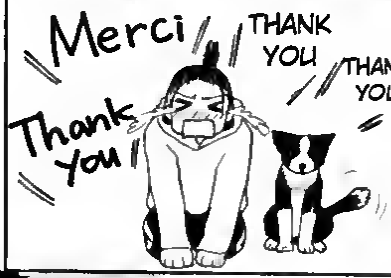
THIS WORK RECEIVED THE GRAND PRIZE FROM "JAPAN EXPO 11TH" HELD IN PARIS, FRANCE.

GIRLS MANGA DEPARTMENT GRAND PRIZE

少女マンガ部門グランプリ

RECEIVING THE GRAND PRIZE IN PARIS IS REALLY AMAZING! I'M VERY HAPPY!

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR READING IT!!



THIS LITTLE MANGA, WHICH WAS BORN IN A SMALL PART OF JAPAN, HAS BEEN TRANSLATED AND PUBLISHED IN TAIWAN, CHINA, AMERICA AND FRANCE.

PERSONALLY, I WOULD LIKE THESE TWO TO GET TOGETHER.

AFTER BEING SUPPORTED BY SO MANY PEOPLE, AND GIVING TROUBLE TO MANY PEOPLE, I COULD COMPLETE THIS WORK. IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO DO IT BY MYSELF. THOSE PEOPLE WHO HAVE WORKED WITH ME AND ALSO READ THIS WORK, THANK YOU VERY MUCH! I HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN SOMETIME, SOMEWHERE.

2010年9月吉日

紺條夏生 xxx

AH, THEY'RE HERE.
WHAT'S UP?
OHH?
REALLY !?
SERI-OUSLY !?
OHHH
おお～
SHRIEK
I'M SO EMBARR-ASSED.
ヒイイィ
イエッフー～
THANKS FOR WAITING.
HAPPY STEPS
WAAHH
わあああ
I'M HAPPY FOR YOU, ABECCHI.
CONG-RATS !!
FINA-LLY !?
WHAT HAPP-ENED !?
SLAP
YOU'RE HURTING ME!
I'M SO HAPPY! WHO CONFESSED FIRST?
CONGRAT-ULATION
CONGRATS, RUMI! I'M SO HAPPY FOR YOU!
ARE YOU CRY-ING !?
PLEASE TAKE A GOOD CARE OF MY GIRL.
MOM !?
SNIFF...
SNIFF...

KARAOKE
カラオケ
30室 ♬ 24h
HEY, I THOUGHT KARAOKE MEANT...
エー!!
HOORAY!
ALRIGHT, LET'S GO TO KARAOKE TO CELEBRATE THE NEW COUPLES AND ASAMATSU WHOSE NEW BOOKS SOLD OUT!
ALRIGHT! DADDY'S EXCITED!
WHO ARE YOU!?
TYPICAL BEHAVIOR AFTER COMIBA... GIRLS COMPARING THE STUFF THEY BOUGHT AT THE EVENT.
キャあ
SHRIEK!
ISN'T IT GREAT?! THIS ONE MUST BE AWESOME TO READ!
WOW, I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU GOT THIS ONE!
MATTSUN, YOU'RE AMAZING!!
I WANNA READ THIS ONE! CAN I BORROW IT?
SURE, THEIR STUFF IS REALLY GOOD, HUH?
SINGING, DOESN'T IT?
キャあ
EXCITED
I THOUGHT SO TOO...
どんなに騒いでも大丈夫♡
NO MATTER HOW MUCH NOISE THEY MAKE, THERE WOULDN'T BE ANY PROBLEM!
IT'S NOT SO EASY TO TAKE CONTROL OF THEM!
GOOD LUCK BOYS!
I'M GLAD EVERYBODY'S ENJOYING THEMSELVES!
I THINK THEY'RE CUTE.
ALSO, IT'S OK TO GIVE UP
YOU JUST HAVE TO GET USED TO IT.
I'M NOT SURE IF I CAN KEEP UP WITH HER.
THEY ARE FUJOSHI!

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